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Bit of History Regarding Adjoining Territory

Mr. Editor: In your issue of April 11th, in speaking of your representative to the General Court, you mentioned the fact that his Grandfather was once the representative from Windsor, and Society Land. Evidently you were at loss to know just what Society Land was, or where it was located. This appeared strange to me, but when I remember that your arrival in Antrim was of comparatively recent date, it is not to be wondered at. Perhaps a little ancient history will be interesting to you, as well as some of your readers. Every time you take the train at your railroad station

you go into what was once a part of Society Land.

When the towns of Antrim, Deering, Franconia, Greenfield and Hancock were incorporated, they reached out and grabbed all of the land in this vicinity that they considered worth taking, leaving a little tract of land northwest of Crotched Mountain, that no one had use for, and this land, for some reason unknown to the writer, was called Society Land.

Hancock, more greedy than the rest, reached over across the Contoocook river far enough to secure all the water power on that stream, which later proved to be her undoing to a certain extent. The line between Hancock and Society Land ran from the Greenfield line near where the South Bennington station now is, down through what is now Bennington village about where the steps of the Congregational church are, and cross-

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OBSERVANCE BY ANTRIM ODD FELLOWS

All Branches of the Order Unite to do Justice to An Occasion Worthy of Special Notice

The 104th anniversary of same way. Rev. R. H. Tibbals, Odd Fellowship was observed by Waverley lodge, No. 59, assisted by Hand-in-Hand Rebekah lodge, No. 29, and Mt. Crotched encampment No. 39, at their hall on Friday evening, attended by about 250, many being present from adjoining towns.

The first number on the program was a banquet at 6.30 o'clock, at which one hundred and thirty-four covers were laid for the first table and about one hundred at the second table. The menu consisted of cold boiled ham, mashed potato, hot rolls fruit salad, olives, ice cream cake and coffee. The tables were adorned with bouquets of pinks which were later sent to sick members who were unable to be present. This bountiful supper was exceedingly well prepared, and the younger members of the subordinate and Rebekah lodges, acting as waiters, looked well after the needs of everyone.

After supper the entire company went to the lodge rooms on the third floor where the remainder of the prepared program was given under the direction of C. W. Prentiss, chairman of the committee.

The first speaker was P. G. R. Ernest C. Dudley of Concord, grand treasurer. Bro. Dudley is always a welcome visitor with the local lodges, and his remarks at this time were unusually interesting and well received.

P. G. R. James Shaw and Grand Patriarch Herbert H. Sanderson of Franklin, representing the Encampment branch of the order, each made fitting remarks, in their accustomed happy manner, and continued to carry the audience with them in the

Mothers' Day

Mothers' Day will be observed at the Presbyterian church May 13 at the church service at 7 o'clock. A song-alogue entitled, "Mothers of Men" will be rendered by a union choir. The story and lyrics are from the pen of Rev. George O. Webster, and the music written by C. H. Meredith and Grant C. Tullar. The program is published by Tullar-Meredith Co., of New York city.

Sunday School Convention

The Hillsboro County S. S. convention will be held in the Presbyterian church May 17. There will be three sessions during the day, morning, afternoon and evening. Prof. E. C. Sleaver of Boston will speak at each session. Prof. Sleaver is a Sunday school specialist of the Congregational Board, Boston. The general secretary of the New Hampshire S. S. conventions, W. D. Reed, will also be heard at each session. Further notice will be given when the program comes.

Notice!

It is worth while to save your paper, magazines, rags, and all kinds of junk. To get a fair price and a square deal wait for my representative, John Nudd, who will have my name on his cart. "Nuff Said." Max Israel.

Mr. and Mrs. T.J. McKnight, of Winchendon, Mass., are spending a few days at Joe Chamberlain's.

Auction Sales

By W. E. Cram, Auctioneer, Antrim.

Henry A. Hurlin, trustee under the will of the late David Bass, will sell on the premises on Elm street, in Antrim village, on Thursday, May 10, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the cottage house and lot known as the Rev. William Hurlin house. This house is one and one half story, has 7 rooms with ell; lot is 100 feet square. Other particulars on auction bill.

Mrs. Lizzie D. Tuttle, executrix of the will of the late George H. Tuttle, will sell at his residence, one mile from Hillsboro postoffice on road to Lower Village, on Wednesday, May 9, at 9.30 in the forenoon, a lot of personal property, consisting of 25 tons good English hay, in lots to suit the purchasers; also 75 bushels corn on the cob. In addition there is a large lot of farming tools, wagons, harness, etc. For a fuller description of the goods to be sold read auction bill.

Fred A. Holt, administrator of the estate of the late Charles H. Senter, will sell a lot of personal property at public auction, on the premises in North Lyndeboro, on Saturday, May 5, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. The property consists of six milch cows of more than average worth, lot of farming tools, hay, cord wood, wagons and a lot of household furniture. For other particulars read auction bills.

James D. Cutter, having sold his home farm and about to remove from town, will sell at his residence in Stoddard Center, on Thursday, May 17, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the 100 acre farm, known as the Edward Dodge farm, situated about one mile from Stoddard Center just off the

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Base Ball Team

In another week candidates for our ball team will be practicing and the crack of the bat will sound good to our lovers of base ball,—and all good, clean out door sports. A number of boys have signified their intention of trying for the team, which, unless all signs fail, should give a good account of itself.

When the time comes, we hope that EVERYONE will give something towards helping the team get started, for it needs your assistance; your interest in the team will depend somewhat on how much help you give it. Let there be plenty of necessary support and Antrim will have a good team.

We understand that ten games have been arranged for, with the balance of the schedule pending. The Reporter hopes to publish the schedule in its next issue.

Washington road, estimated to be thereon about 700 M. sawable timber. With a small outlay of money the buildings could be put in good repair and make a nice year-round home, or an ideal place for a summer residence. Also a lot of personal property, consisting of farming tools, hay and household goods. Further particulars on auction bills.

At this sale Silas A. Rowe, auctioneer, of Henniker, will assist

Being the only heir and in possession of all property of the late Henry Davis and wife, Zadel M. Nelson, having no use for the goods, will sell at public auction at her residence on Pleasant street, Henniker village, on Thursday, May 3, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the personal property, consisting of fourteen head of cattle, two horses, wagons, sleighs, harnesses, robes, farming tools of all kinds; and a lot of household goods. For other particulars read auction bills.

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DE JUSSAC

SYNOPSIS.—Dialling the prospect of a month's visit to her parents, Amy Erythea Lambe, at Jervaux abbey, and her cousin, Alexander Lambe, Almee, vivacious daughter of the Very Reverend Viscount Scroope, meets a young man who laughingly introduces himself as "Billy," American. The two ride on his motorcycle, the "Flying Sphinx," and part. With Georgina Berners, her cousin, Almee sets out for Jervaux. She forces Georgina to impersonate her at Jervaux, and she goes on a holiday. Almee again meets Billy, who tells her his name is Amy Snookes, and she gives him a job. Billy offers to take her into partnership in selling the Sphinx. In a spirit of madcap adventure, she accepts. The two proceed to the town of Stanhoe, taking separate lodgings in the cottage. While Almee is secretly visiting Georgina at Jervaux, the place is burglarized, and the famous Lambe emeralds are stolen. Almee escapes. Jack decides the thieves are "Police the Climber" and "Calamity Kate," who travel on a motorcycle. Billy, who has shadowed Almee to Jervaux, follows the thieves. He is knocked out, but emerges from the fight with the Lambe emeralds. He meets Almee, with the police in pursuit, in a secure hiding place. Alexander finds himself very much in love with Georgina. Alexander's sister, Lady Diana, arrives. Another visitor is the Vicomte de Jussac, her suitor. Diana recognizes Almee and threatens to denounce her. Almee confides in De Jussac.

CHAPTER XIX—Continued.

"What does this mean?" he said sternly.

"Diana's found me out, and she's going to tell Aunt, first thing in the morning," said Almee, with the calm of despair. "And I've told Monsieur de Jussac. I simply had to tell somebody. And everybody will know tomorrow."

"Rather a delicate position, Monsieur le Cure—eh?" said Bertrand dryly, and not without satisfaction.

Alexander flushed to the ears and hung his head. He looked so ashamed and wretched that Almee felt a pang of remorse.

"For myself," he said unsteadily, "I will face the exposure and the penalty—for I have deserved it. It is you, Almee, that I should have wished to do it now, if there were any way, but I see none. You—and Georgina. That is all that matters."

"Tens! The true ring!" cried de Jussac enthusiastically. He seized Alexander's hand and shook it with heartfelt warmth. "Never reproach yourself, mon ami. From first to last, you have acted an gallant homme!"

"You've been a brick, Alexander. And you'd better go, and not hear any more—I'll keep you out of it if I can," said Almee quickly.

Alexander looked at his cousin.

"I will go, then," he said, "on condition that you return to your room immediately. Almee."

"All right, I will."

"Assuredly—she shall go at once! Till the morning then, Monsieur le Abbe, and have no fear. The danger shall dissipate itself," said Bertrand, and almost forcibly he shepherded the bewildered Alexander out of the room. Bertrand darted back, and caught Almee by the hands.

"He is bon enfant, the parson!" he cried, "all shall yet be well. But it is impossible to require deceit from him. Leave that to me! Mademoiselle, I am a magnificent liar!" He snote himself proudly on the breast. "You shall see how my talent—"

"But—"

"Not a word! I shall consider it an honor—a privilege. It is the one situation in which, prevention becomes a virtue! Retire, then, mademoiselle, and sleep soundly. A way shall be found out of this impasse. I pledge myself to—fol de chevalier! The morning shall bring, not disaster, but happiness!"

Almee was whirled out of the room, hardly less bewildered than Alexander. When she had gone upstairs, Monsieur de Jussac returned to the dining room. He paced the room with long strides, developing a series of plans that flashed through his brain. Some caused him to laugh aloud, others evoked a sigh.

"In this country of Puritans, schemes that elsewhere would glow like a golden mist, become impossible!" he mused regretfully.

Since the coldness of Lady Diana was the main difficulty, Bertrand's thoughts concentrated naturally upon

her, and it is to be feared that Almee's predicament faded into a secondary place. Allowances must be made for those swayed by the grand passion. Suddenly de Jussac halted among the suits of mail.

"Tens! the armor," he said, brightening, "the same of which Diana should have told me the history, but declined. She shall come to it yet! She approves armor—she adores the days of chivalry long dead."

"Lived we in those days," cried Bertrand with rising fervor, "I would hack my way to her favor though a hundred spears barred the path." He struck the nearest breastplate with his fist. "You Sir Knight! If you



"What Does This Mean?" He Said Sternly.

did not pay swift homage to my lady," said Bertrand, grinding his teeth. "my lance should crash into your midriff! Scrognon-non-non-non!"

He turned to inspect the pectoral of another suit, beautifully engraved and chased with gold.

"Of French workmanship, surely—never of this country. The English are a great nation, but severe—severe." He passed his hands over the breastplate. It detached quite easily from the stand. With a sudden impulse Bertrand fitted it to his broad chest, passing his arm through the things that had held it to the stand. He laughed as he caught sight of his reflection in a mirror.

"It becomes me a merveille! Name of a name! Let me envisage myself the conqueror of my Diana!"

He strapped on the greaves and cuisses over his dress trousers, donned the gorget and, lifting down the big helmet, placed it over his head, abrading his nose in the process. The suit—it was the same which had fallen during the night of the burglary—had certainly been made for a knight of great stature—it fitted de Jussac very well.

"Magnifique!" said Bertrand. "And, who knows—it may be the very suit of my ancestor! The—"

He turned slowly, aware of someone approaching. A tall, spectral figure, white and ethereal, stood in the doorway.

It was Lady Diana, in a long girdled wrap trimmed with white fur. In her hand was a rolled up paper that might have been a piece of music; it trembled visibly. Her face, as she gazed at the armored figure, was as white as her garments.

She controlled her nerves with a mighty effort. If it was a spirit, it was indeed a splendid one. To her, of all people, this manifestation of the infinite was vouchsafed.

For some moments she gazed, in a thrilled silence. Then she actually advanced a few steps, faltering.

"Speak!" she said, in a voice that quavered slightly. "Are you he? Speak to me, I am of the elect. I am non-n-not afraid."

De Jussac grasped the situation. He searched his mind swiftly for the most just—the speech of the Fourteenth century.

"Mont puissante dame—" he began, dropping reverently on one knee.

Diana, the moment the unmistakable voice smote upon her ear, gave a piercing shriek, and clasped her hands to her head. She swayed as if about to fall.

Bertrand rushed forward, and caught her just in time.

"B-B-B-Bertrand!" she gasped faintly.

The name, wrung from her by stress, was such music in the Vicomte's ears that he tore off his helmet and kissed her rapturously.

"Angel!" he cried. "Adored Diana! Say it again!" He made it somewhat difficult for her to say anything. "Say it—whisper it—Bertrand!" Ah, happiest of men!

Diana struggled.

"How dare you?" she said wildly.

"How dare you—pretend to be a ghost!"

"But I did not! I thought you were pretending to be one! Let me bear the blame. I love you—I was in despair—and put on this mail that for one moment I might imagine myself approved. Dear lady of Romance, I am no ghost—I own it!"

He proved it with a kiss that was by no means ghostly.

"Oh!" said Diana faintly.

The mailed arms encircled her tightly.

"Sweetest of all earth's treasures!" exclaimed Bertrand. "You love me? You tremble—your heart beats. Say it! You love me!"

Suddenly she hid her face against his breastplate.

"I-I-I do," she whispered, hardly audible, "and—I should never have dared to let you tell me so."

"Thrice blessed accident! To my unhappy ancestor I owe my happiness! Ah, day of days! Diana, you will marry me, beloved?"

"I suppose so. I can't help it, now. Oh—Bertrand!"

"I said that armor was of no avail. But it has conquered!"

She glanced up at him shyly.

"I shall wear it for evermore!" said De Jussac rapturously. "It shall never be doffed, save at your orders. Diana—"

"But my aunt!" exclaimed Diana suddenly, her blushes changing to pallor. "If—"

"She will give us her blessing. In the morning—"

"But if she found out how it happened!" said Diana in a panic. "And the time—you do not know how terrible Aunt can be—"

"She will not know! I will put myself in order—I will propose to you again in the morning. We will announce it with all formalities." Bertrand was alarmed to find her almost collapsing; he led her to the table and raised a goblet to her lips. "A little wine, my angel! It will revive you!"

"No, no!"

"But yes! You are agitated. Just one sip!"

It was impossible to deny anything to the conquering Bertrand. Lady Diana permitted herself to imbibe a little of the wine; it restored the color to her cheeks.

"And now," said the Vicomte tenderly, "light of my soul—"

A piercing shriek from Diana jarred painfully on his nerves. Bertrand started and spun around.

In the doorway stood the unspeakable parlor maid, capless, her bronze hair flowing over her shoulders. Wicked laughter convulsed her, her eyes shone with triumph.

"Bless you, my children!" said Almee. "You've made enough row about it!"

De Jussac started hastily towards her. Almee sprang back and closed the door in his face; the key turned with a click.

Lady Diana had sunk inert into a chair.

"Stop her—make her be quiet!" panted Diana trembling. "Bertrand—if my aunt—"

"Open!" hissed Bertrand, rattling the handle.

"Leave the door alone!" said Almee's voice, muffled through the panel. "You can't get out—either of you. Can you hear me?"

"Yes, yes! Mademoiselle—"

"Listen! Within three feet of me is a burglar alarm," said the voice, diabolically. "I'm going to start it. Before you can turn yourselves round, the whole household will be down on you—from Aunt Erythea to the pageboy. Especially Aunt. I'm going to count three. When—"

"Misericorde!" gasped Bertrand. "Mademoiselle, I implore you! This is to return evil for good. How have we deserved—"

"I have no quarrel with you, Vicomte. You're all right. But I've got you both. You'll accept my terms—"

"Anything!" panted Bertrand distractedly. "Anything—"

"Stand away from the door, then. Get right back."

"Yes, yes!"

Almee applied her eye to the keyhole to insure that her orders were obeyed. She opened the door cautiously, and regarded the distressed pair with intense satisfaction.

"Let me be the first to congratulate you!" she said. "Vicomte, I don't grudge my cousin to you. You are welcome. Di!" continued Almee, fixing Diana with a glittering eye. "I don't want your explanation—you can explain the masquerade to Aunt. But I shall hold my tongue about you—and you'll hold yours about me! I require your word of honor. For you daren't break it!"

"Yes!" gasped Diana feebly. "Don't—don't speak so loud, Almee—"

Almee looked at her, and exploded with laughter.

"Every happiness, dear people!" she said, and vanished.

"Bertrand!" panted Diana, rising unsteadily. "Did you know anything of this? Do you understand—? She is not the parlor maid—she is my cousin. I cannot explain; you must say nothing about it. Neither will she! Oh—let me go!"

He caught her in his arms before she could escape.

"My angel! In the morning, our love scene all over again. I have your promise!"

"Yes!" she said, wildly. "Oh, let me go!"

Lady Diana fled from the room and scuttled upstairs like an agitated rabbit. The Vicomte, following, blew her an impassioned kiss as she passed out of sight. Returning to the hall, he tore off his armor in a delirium of joy, and replaced it on the stand.

CHAPTER XX

Two Pair.

Lady Erythea beamed. It seems an impossible term to apply to that austere countenance. But it was so. When Georgina entered the drawing room at noon—after nearly twenty-four hours exile in her bedroom—she found her alleged aunt as near to beaming as her features permitted.

"I am glad you have recovered from your temporary indisposition, my dear Almee," she said amiably. "During your absence an event has occurred, both romantic and desirable. How seldom the two things go together!"

"Indeed! What is it?"

"Your cousin Diana and Monsieur de Jussac are about to contract an alliance. They became engaged this morning."

"How perfectly delightful!" breathed Georgina, after a pause of dramatic astonishment. "I am sure you are pleased—Aunt?"

"Indeed I am. I have not concealed from you my desire that this very thing should come about. It is the more satisfactory, because only last night I quite despaired of it, and came to regard it as hopeless. But Monsieur de Jussac's suit has prospered amazingly; it appears that Diana, as I suspected, has for some time since been far from indifferent to him. I am delighted that I gave them the opportunity. Only two hours after breakfast the Vicomte, with his customary impetuosity, brought Diana to me and begged for my consent. I need not say that I gave it gladly."

Georgina escaped into the garden.

It is possible that Almee was right when she said that all women are natural actresses in time of need. Georgina's assumption of astonishment at hearing Lady Erythea's news was wholly assumed, and not assumed badly. The announcement was, in fact, no news at all to her.

Having an excellent sense of direction, Georgina soon discovered Mr. Alexander Lambe walking on the sheltered paths of the old yew garden beyond the chapel-at-ease. He looked quite as relieved as Georgina. And his eyes lit up wonderfully when he saw her. He hurried forward to meet her.

"Mr. Lambe—" exclaimed Georgina. Mr. Lambe halted, and looked deeply pained.

"Have I offended you?" he said almost wistfully. "I thought you gave me permission—"

"Alexander," murmured Georgina, flushing very attractively.

"That is better," said Mr. Lambe, regarding her with grateful eyes. "Have you seen your cousin?"

"Yes," said Georgina pathetically. "Almee came into my room very early



Wicked Laughter Convulsed Her.

"She must have felt confident, I suppose, of Diana's g-g-goodness of heart!" faltered Georgina. "Are you pleased about the engagement? I do hope you are. I was afraid—"

Alexander paused.

"I am not displeased," he said. "De Jussac is a good fellow. I did not always think so. But—I have come to see that he is a very good fellow indeed. The love of a good woman is just what he needs."

"I hope they will be very happy," said Georgina softly.

Alexander was looking at her with an expression that made her heart beat.

"Isn't it splendid," she said quickly. "that Almee won't be suddenly betrayed! She'll have a chance now. She—"

"Almee!" Mr. Lambe almost exploded. "It is nothing but Almee! It is you I am concerned about, Georgina—not Almee! It wrings my heart, the position you are placed in—through no fault whatever of your own. It cannot go on—it is bound to be known very soon now. And when that happens—"

"Yes," said Georgina, forlornly. "It will be dreadful. I shall have to face it. They won't defend me."

Alexander took her hands quickly in his.

"Give me the right!" he said.

Georgina caught her breath. She looked up at him. There was a wonderful tenderness in his eyes; his face was the face of a man inspired.

"Georgina, you have known me only a little while. But I love you. You are the only woman in the world for me. I love you! Do you think you could care for me—just a little?"

Georgina tried to free herself. "It is impossible!" she said, turning her face away.

"Why? Do you not care for me?"

"Oh—it is cruel!" gasped Georgina, brokenly. "I am not Almee. I am here under false pretenses. How can you? I am—"

"You are the woman I love!"

"Oh, let me go!" she said wildly.

"You are not yourself—you have no right to say this to me," sobbed Georgina. "you believe that a priest in orders may not marry!"

"I never held any such belief! Of my order, there are some who hold the view. I am not with them. I am celibate, only because I have never loved till now. Look at me, Georgina!" he said almost sternly. "Do you believe that any human passion would cause me to do what was against my faith?"

Georgina looked at him through her tears.

"No," she whispered, "I know that you would not."

"Come to me, then, Georgina," he said, gently. "What good there is for us to do in the world, let us do it hand in hand. I will make the years wonderful for you. Just tell me that you care."

He took her masterfully in his arms. "I do love you!" sobbed Georgina. "I love you."

Alexander raised her face and kissed her.

"I never hoped to hear you say it," he said. She felt his heart beating strongly. "You love me!"

"I have loved you," said Georgina, her voice stifled in his coat. "From the first day I saw you."

There was a long pause.

"It is greater happiness than I dreamed of," said Alexander, humbly. "I have not deserved it."

Suddenly he released her and held her at arm's length.

"One thing neither of us shall endure. No subterfuge—no secrecy about this. It is too sacred. We shall make it known at once. It is you I am thinking of. Our betrothal must be announced," said Alexander decisively, "and then—"

Before there was any time for reflection, Fate was upon him in the shape of Lady Erythea, walking majestically along the path with her little Highland terrier at her heels. Alexander halted.

"Aunt!" he exclaimed. "Georgina—I—"

He stopped short.

"What on earth is the matter with you?" said Lady Erythea, raising her ear-trumpet.

For once Alexander was at a loss. He had turned very pale. Georgina came nobly to his rescue.

"Alexander," she said faintly, yet articulately, "has asked me to be his wife." And, with desperate confusion, she added—"May I?"

The ear-trumpet clattered on the gravel. Lady Erythea gathered Georgina into a triumphant embrace.

"My dear child," she exclaimed, kissing Georgina warmly on both cheeks, "I am delighted!" Lady Erythea released her and kissed Alexander. "You have made me very, very happy. The match is in every way ideal. Alexander, you will have just such a wife as I should have chosen for you—and I never thought you would have the sense to choose one at all. My dear Almee, your excellent father, I am sure, will be as pleased about this as I am."

Georgina felt her knees giving way. She stooped and recovered the ear-trumpet.

"Would you mind not telling anybody for just a day or two?" she said desperately. "We have told you, but we—feel—"

Lady Erythea smiled.

"Foolish, romantic child!" she said, patting Georgina's cheek. "Well, well—we shall see."

She turned and disappeared towards the house. The betrothed couple looked at each other. Alexander squared his big shoulders.

"What on earth will happen now?" said Georgina faintly.

Alexander's reply was practical. He lifted her suddenly off her feet and kissed her.

"I don't care what happens!" an-

nounced Alexander. And he kissed her again.

CHAPTER XXI

A New Partnership.

"It rains all the time in this country," said Billy, discontentedly, "except when you want it to."

He addressed the remark to the dry and unresponsive soil. Billy's attitude at the moment was unusual. He was close to the footpath along which he had wheeled the Sphinx after the encounter with the motorcycle thieves on the night of the burglary.

That event was now many days old, yet no rain had fallen in the meantime and here and there the track of the Sphinx's tires was faintly visible in the dried mud—to anyone who had unusually good eyes.

"If they've got a Scotland Yard sharp down here now," reflected Billy, "and he goes over the ground, it's just possible he might see what that fool inspector at Stanhoe never tumbled to. That there were two motorcycles, and not one, at the place where Jack the Climber got ditched. If they were to track up the Sphinx now it would be mighty awkward. They'd soon connect her with Almee and me. But I guess it's an outside chance."

The slight impression of a tire mark, a little to the right of the path, caught his eye. It had passed over a soft mole hill, and was clearly defined. Billy paused, and inspected it with a new interest. The fashion of his countenance changed; he went down on hands and knees, and looked very closely indeed.

"Snakes!" exclaimed Billy. He rose, and quartered the ground carefully for a considerable distance in either direction. The ground was too hard to show any continuous track. But mole hills were plentiful, and some way farther on he found another one, also showing the print of a tire.

"It's the same. And not the Sphinx's tire, by a mile!" said Billy, knitting his brow. "This one was steel-studded."

With growing perplexity he made a close examination of the soil, and pres-



He Kissed Her Again.

ently discovered other traces. There were a few footprints and, faint though they were, they bore some very marked characteristics.

Billy stood up straight and gave a liquid whistle. The furrows in his brow deepened. He carried his investigations still farther afield, but toward the healthy common the soil was light, wind-blown sand that shifted with every fresh breeze. There were no tracks left. The seeker was at a loss.

Billy stopped and reflected rapidly.

"It came this way, whatever it was," he said. "But why on earth did it—and how? Let's start from the beginning."

He struck across country and, breaking through a hedge, came out into the blind lane where Jack the Climber's machine had crashed on the fateful night; the spot where he had recovered the emeralds, and made acquaintance with Calamity Kate's resourcefulness.

The muddy lane still showed slight traces, very much mixed up and trampled, of the place where the thieves' machine had fallen; the ruts were now dried and hard. Billy also recognized what were evidently the hoof marks of the Stanhoe police.

"A herd of steers wouldn't have made more mess," said Billy. "And Panke found nothing after all, or he'd have— Well, I can't blow much, either. I've been here twice since, but never got wise to it till now."

He turned back down the lane toward the highway, his eyes noting the smallest details of the ground.

"Here's my track; pretty near washed out. And here's the other's. That cycle was a big Indian, by what little I saw of it. And likely it was half crippled when it got away. And here it got on the high road, and headed straight on past Jervaux again. That's mighty queer. I always reckoned they'd have gone the other way. Something must have turned them."

"I can't let you go!" said Billy, wildly. "You're the darling of the world!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Obedience is the price of spiritual knowledge.

WATCH THOSE PIRATES PERFORM



Manager William McKechnie and President Barney Dreyfuss kept close watch over the 1923 Pittsburgh Pirate baseball team while in practice at Hot Springs, Ark. "Watch the Pirates" every critic is saying.

Grover Alexander's Work Aided Phillies

Here are some reasons why one great hurler can make a third-rate baseball team look like a first choice aggregation.

Grover Alexander, during the seven seasons he pitched for the Philadelphia Nationals, worked in 331 games, of which 278 counted in the won or lost column. Grover's percentage in victories during that time stood 6830.

The club's percentage during the same period stood .551. Alex pitched 59 runless games, fanned 1,404 batsmen, held the opposing batsmen to an average of .15 in hits, and hurled 75 games wherein his opponents made five or less hits per game.

In the last three seasons Alexander was with the Phillies the club won a pennant and landed in second place twice.

GUIMET TO SCOTLAND



Francis Guimet of the Woodland Golf club, Auburndale, Mass., has announced that he will go over to Scotland this spring as a member of the United States golf team to defend the Walker cup. He will also compete in the British championship tournament.

Olson Places Himself as an Assistant Coach

"I have just figured out what my job on this ball club is," said Ivan Olson, the Brooklyn Dodgers' veteran infielder, at camp the other day. "From now on I consider myself nothing but third assistant coach. All I think I'll have to do is to sit on the bench looking wise, and every now and then I'll give the second assistant coach a little advice. About the middle of July I might have to go in and take the place of some young infielder who may be showing signs of slipping. That will be a pretty good time to start the season. If they want me to play before then I will be ready. Everybody likes their base hits, and I am no exception."

Women Enter Trotters in Races at Cleveland

Three women are among the subscribers to the Rainy Day sweepstakes for two-year-old trotters, a \$5,000 race at Cleveland's August Grand Circuit meeting. Miss Katherine L. Wilks of Galt, Ont., names Kentucky Vera; by Kentucky Todd; 2:08 3/4; Mrs. Mira K. Jones of Clearwater, Fla., names Lady Athabaire, by Etawah, 2:03 3/4, out of Duelle Archdale, 2:03 1/4, and Mrs. W. M. Weight of Chicago names Miss Perfect, by U. Forbes.

Washington Club Will Continue on at Tampa

President Ebbets of the Brooklyn Dodgers has yielded to the pressure of Tom Rice and given orders that the uniforms of his Dodgers this year shall bear numbers, similar to those that will be worn by the St. Louis Cardinals, but not of the same reddish hue. Mr. Ebbets says the numbering idea is a good one and that he is for it and expects to see it generally adopted before the season is far along.

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

Another 48-Hour Bill Killed
The Senate killed Senator Hurley's bill providing a 48-hour work week during July and August.

Refuse Three Pardons
The governor and council have refused to grant pardons sought in the cases of three men, Harry Kharren, Edmund F. Huckins and Dow H. Sealey.

Doctor for 70 Years, Fought in Civil War

George W. Peirce, who recently observed his 90th birthday anniversary in his home in Winchester, is one of the few physicians who served in the Civil War and who has been in active practice nearly 70 years. Dr. Peirce is in active practice.

Truck Ban Lifted on More State Highways

The governor and council have lifted the ban on heavy trucks on the following roads: Mascoma Valley road to Enfield, the Daniel Webster road from Laconia to Meredith and the Center Harbor town line, Contocook Valley road from Hopkinton to the Massachusetts line, the Central road from Contocook to Warner.

Names Deputies For Dry Posts

Ora M. Craig, commissioner of law enforcement, nominated two of his deputies, and handed them to Gov. Fred Brown for approval. The names were not to be given out until after passing the hands of the governor. Mr. Craig, however, states that the two nominations are of men who are experienced in criminal investigation, and are eminently fitted for the positions. There will be three deputies in all, which is the limit in number provided by the appropriation.

Lancaster Lawyer Attorney General

A "dark horse" has won the attorney general appointment. Irving Hinkley of Lancaster, a young North Country lawyer, was named by Gov. Fred H. Brown as his choice for attorney general New Hampshire, to succeed Oscar L. Young of Laconia. The Governor's Council approved the appointment.

Attorney General Hinkley is about 25 years old and is an associate of the law firm of Drew, Shurtieff, Oakes and Morris, one of the best known legal firms in the state, especially in the North Country where it has done much corporation work.

Three Firms Become Corporation in State

New corporations that have made reports to secretary of state, include two in Concord, the Granite State Quarries company and the F. E. Hamlin Lrass company, the first with \$60,000 and the second with \$40,000 capital. The quarries company proposes to buy, sell, lease and operate quarries in any locality, while the Hamlin corporation plans a general manufacturing, merchandising and shipping business.

The Park View Hotel company, capital \$7,000, gives Bethlehem as the headquarters for a general summer hotel and boarding business.

House Passes Water Power Bill

The House passed the Bass storage reservoir bill over lively opposition, led by Roberts of Meredith, who declared the project a "wildcat scheme." The bill appropriates \$5000 to pay for an investigation of the states water power resources and pledges the credit of the state to the extent of \$200,000 in the development of storage reservoirs. Chairman Barry said the committee had decided "it is only a question of time when New England will be forced to develop water power to get out of the clutches of the Pennsylvania mining interests," and that the state should take immediate steps to get relief from the increasingly onerous fuel burden.

McCall Addresses Legislators

President Harding's suggestion that the United States become a member of the world court of the League of Nations was put before a group of New Hampshire Republicans as the most likely issue on which the party may win the 1924 campaign by Samuel W. McCall, former governor of Massachusetts, speaking before the Republican members of the Legislature at the traditional rally banquet in Concord.

Unless some other method of attaining world peace suggests itself, Governor McCall asserted, the world court plan should be adopted to establish a preventative against war.

Governor McCall's endorsement of the President's suggestion was greeted with prolonged applause by the Representatives and senators.

James O. Lyford, party leader in the House of Representatives, was the other speaker of the evening. Mr. Lyford devoted his address to a review of the Democratic achievements in the body of which he is minority leader.

Start Work on New Shop

Work has begun grading the site of the big new machine shop to be erected by the Boston and Maine railroad at the South End, Concord.

The new shop is estimated to cost about \$50,000 and its full complement of workers will be in the neighborhood of 4000 men. To it will be transferred all the machinery in the present machine shop and much new equipment, it is expected will be added.

Police Block Marathon Dance
New Hampshire's first non-stop dancing contest, scheduled at South Hooksett, near Manchester, was called off by order of the Hooksett police department.

Death Takes Oldest Newsboy
Charles P. Rust, who had the unique distinction at the time of his death of being the only survivor of the old-time newsboys of Manchester, having carried papers as a small boy more than 60 years ago, and who had been connected with the two leading papers of Manchester in various capacities for years, died last week.

Declares War Upon Chicken Thieves in Rockingham Towns

Southern New Hampshire poultry men are on the war path against chicken thieves.

Following a meeting of the leading poultry farmers of Rockingham county it was announced that the Rockingham County Poultry Protective association has been formed to work by itself, in conjunction with local police officials, and through its hired detectives to put a stop to poultry thieving in that region.

A vigilance committee, headed by a chief, was named at the meeting, while deputies were appointed to have charge of the work in each town of the county.

Concord Loses Hope of State Aid for Guard

The House, after some weeks of delay, has finally killed the bill that would have recompensed Concord to the extent of \$18,000 for the expense incurred when the National Guard was on strike duty there last summer. Concord had asked the state to assume half of this financial burden.

Representative Raymond B. Stevens, in a statement to the House, disputed the figures of Concord officials, seeming to show that laws enacted or pending would deprive that city of about \$90,000 in taxation revenue. The loss to any one city or town, Mr. Stevens contended, will be "negligible under new laws either approved or proposed."

Held Record for Civil War Battles

Capt. Andrew Jackson Hough, who had the distinction of having engaged in more conflicts during the civil war than any veteran in the state and who was seriously wounded twice, died at his home in Dover, last week, aged 89 years. He enlisted in May, 1862, in the 9th New Hampshire infantry, was made first lieutenant in August and for "efficient and faithful service" was commissioned as captain in November and later declined command of the 18th infantry as colonel. As captain he commanded the 9th regiment in all engagements until injured during the battle of the Crater, when a bullet shattered his jaw and passed through his neck. He lay on the battlefield 33 hours, being found alive by the Confederates and cast into Libby prison without medical attention and set his own jaw without assistance. He won distinguished service honors at the battle of the Crater, engaged in the Virginia and Mississippi campaigns, was shot through the leg while with the army of the Potomac, but refused to leave his command. In June, 1865, was brevetted major.

House Famed for "Ghost Antics" Burns

The Everett Bagley farmhouse, an ancient landmark, destroyed by fire in Londonderry, was the structure which two years ago attracted wide attention as being the habitat of a fish-throwing "ghost." Students of the occult, news writers and law officers paid visits there, to interview Mrs. Sedley Loud, to whom the manifestations appeared.

The capers of the ghost were reported in the latter part of February, 1921. Mrs. Sedley Loud and her 9-year-old grandson, Frankie, lived alone in the old house, but doubtful neighbors were called in to witness the stunts and went away convinced. Furniture tipped over, dishes and bottles fell from shelves and were broken firewood leaped from its box and dented doors, and slippers and bed clothing cartwheeled without their owners' permission, according to reports.

A reporter who spent the night of Feb. 25 there was not able to see any antics of the spirits. He concluded that the surprising things that had happened were the pranks of the boy, Frankie.

Says Man Hurlled Child at Wall

A story of brutality, in which a baby girl of 3 was the principal sufferer, was told in Superior Court, Exeter, by Grace Recer's, common law wife of Howard Brown of Sandown, on trial on a charge of murder in the second degree.

Brown has been indicted for the death of Beatrice Cutting, 3, a child left in his care by its parents. Brown, the state charges, threw the baby against a wall in such a manner as to inflict injuries from which she died.

Brown was adjudged guilty of manslaughter in the first degree on the charge. The jury was out but a half hour.

Boston Man Appointed State Director of C. E.

The New Hampshire Christian Endeavor Union announces the appointment of a field secretary in the person of Russell J. Blair of Boston, who already holds the position of field secretary for Massachusetts. He will do his New Hampshire work in conjunction with his duties in the Bay State.

Mr. Blair launched his New Hampshire enterprise when he spoke at county union meetings in Concord and in Manchester. He plans three field trips of one week each into this state

NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE

When the house came together for the opening of the session for the last week in April there was some concern regarding the ability to effect a final adjournment during the first week in May. Attention was called to the fact that daylight saving would be in effect in Massachusetts and that trains would arrive and depart from Concord an hour earlier. A resolution was adopted that the house begin its sessions at 10 o'clock instead of 11. As the house had just passed a bill providing a penalty of \$500 for violations of the anti-daylight saving law the question was raised if the members were not making themselves liable by the action, but the speaker soothed their fears.

The state budget bill was reported to the house Tuesday, and provides for \$2,900,000 expenditure for 1924 and \$200,000 more for 1925. The bill was passed and sent to the senate for concurrence. The bills were aliced about \$350,000 a year from departmental estimates and it was voted to kill outright \$1,800,000 of new highway construction. The bill to exempt from taxation all trees of less than six inches in diameter was amended and then killed. The house then passed the bill in relation to the rights and qualifications of voters; to provide safety exit facilities for schoolhouses; relating to advertisements during strikes; to regulate and limit the investment of savings banks. This removes all railroad stocks and public utility stocks of companies outside of New Hampshire from the list of securities eligible for investment. An act was passed changing the name of the New Hampshire college to University of New Hampshire.

The house passed a resolution Tuesday to adjourn Friday, April 27. This was messaged over to the senate and at once kicked up a breeze. When put to a vote the resolution was tabled by 13 to 3, only three Democratic senators supporting it.

The 48-hour bill for women and minors to be in effect during July and August came up and met a painless death, no word being said either for or against it. The vote was 13 to 7.

The house has passed the Bass water power bill providing for the development of water storage reservoirs. This bill carries an appropriation of \$5,000 for surveys and investigation of water power development and authorizes a bond issue of \$25,000 for the construction of reservoirs. The house passed appropriations for improvements at Glencliff.

\$300 for repairs at the Webster birthplace in Franklin.

\$1,000 for road repairs in Brookfield.

\$200 for Sugarloaf road in Alexandria.

\$2,000 for the road in Tamworth from Whittier to Chocorua.

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\$4,000 for the road from Dorchester to Lyme.

\$1,400 for the road from Freedom to East Madison.

\$4,000 for the forest nursery, water supply and improvements.

\$1,500 for the road from Effingham Falls past Effingham.

Ten bills and eight joint resolutions, all relating to improvements of highways and construction of new roads were killed by the house.

Wednesday the house voted to bond the state for \$400,000 to build an addition to the State hospital for female insane patients.

The senate Wednesday afternoon passed the auto liquor bill and it was sent to the governor. This provides that any person convicted of operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor shall be imprisoned 90 days in jail and have his license to operate an automobile revoked for a year. For a second offence the penalty is six months in state prison and three years revocation of license. Another provision prevents any court from suspending any part of the sentence. This makes it impossible for a conviction to be satisfied by the payment of a fine.

Wednesday the house passed the bill to lower the automobile permit fees on cars more than four years old. This bill decreases the fees on such cars from five mills to three mills and establishes a maximum fee on cars five years old of \$10. The maximum value of an old car is fixed at \$500 no matter what it cost when new.

The Manchester hotel exemption bill reported in under a suspension of the rules and passed without opposition. The exemption will be referred to the voters of Manchester at the November election if the governor signs the bill.

The differences between the house and senate on the amount of tuition which small towns having no high school shall pay to towns where their pupils are accommodated was adjusted by the senate agreeing to split the difference and making it \$70 per year instead of either \$65 or \$75 and voted by the two houses.

The senate killed the bakery regulation bill which passed the house a week previously. The administration inheritance tax bill providing for a graduated tax on all estate of over \$50,000 was killed.

The coal bill passed by the house for the regulation of the coal business does not meet with the approval of the senate and it is expected that body will bring forward a bill of its own.

A bill relating to search warrants which has been vigorously opposed by the W. C. T. U. and the Anti-Saloon League was killed.

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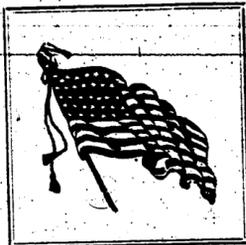
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Lawrence K. Black will report at Manchester for grand jury duty this week at the May term of the Superior Court.

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Master Clark Craig has been presented with an ewe lamb, and he is thinking of going into the sheep business.

Miss Gladys P. Craig returned to Concord on Monday, having spent a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Craig.

Men's Utility Work Shoes, rubber sole, canvas tops, reinforced with leather, nothing better. Goodwin's. Adv.

James F. Godman's Famous Nashville Students present Plantation Days Revue at Antrim town hall on Saturday, May 5. Read advertisement on first page today.

Born, in East Andover, this state, April 26, a daughter, Betty Ellen, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer E. Kilburn, and grand daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Merrill of this village.

Miss Bertha Merrill spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Kilburn and family, at East Andover. A nephew, Warren Kilburn, returned home with her for a visit with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merrill.

The hats that have been on exhibition at the home of Mrs. H. W. Eldredge, have many of them been sold and a number of the others exchanged for different ones of late Spring designs. The ladies of this vicinity will be glad to know this.

John S. Nesmith spent the last week with friends and relatives in Gardner and Boston, Mass.

John L. Bullard, of Laconia, visited in town the past week, renewing former acquaintances.

The heavy rain of Saturday and Saturday night added a large volume of water to streams and lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Keeser, late of Washington, D. C., now have charge of the telephone at the local central office.

Postmaster Thompson made the two rural routes with the carriers the past week; this is required by the department in April and October of each year.

Woman's Relief Corps

As the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of Ephraim Weston Woman's Relief Corps, in Antrim, takes place this month, at the regular meeting held last evening, May 1, the matter of how to observe the occasion was discussed. No definite decisions as to exact date, etc., were made, but will be announced later. A pleasant meeting was enjoyed by all members present, and ice cream served during the social hour that followed.

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Harry E. Nay, of Dorchester, Mass., is the guest of relatives in town for a season.

Miss Nellie Jackson, of Hancock, was in this village last Thursday calling on friends.

Mrs. Winifred Cochrane is spending a brief season with her father Clark B. Cochrane.

Mrs. Fred Ellsworth, of Worcester, Mass., was visiting friends in town the past week.

Fred W. Robinson and family motored to town from Boston on Sunday for the day, to visit relatives.

E. M. Lane, from Laconia, has been passing a few days in town with his sister and daughter at Maplehurst Inn.

Lee W. Shepardson, an employe at the Reporter office, spent a few days the past week at his home in Baldwinville, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Sawyer and friends, of Dorchester, Mass., were week end guests of the former's father S. S. Sawyer, and wife.

Cranston D. Eldredge, manager of the Courier Press, Inc., of Winchendon, Mass., was at his home here the past week suffering with tonsillitis.

Waverley Lodge, No. 59, I. O. O. F., conferred the second and third degrees on two candidates at their last regular meeting on Saturday night.

The family of E. E. Smith, who make their home in Boston during the winter, have arrived at their home here, Alabama Farm, for the summer season.

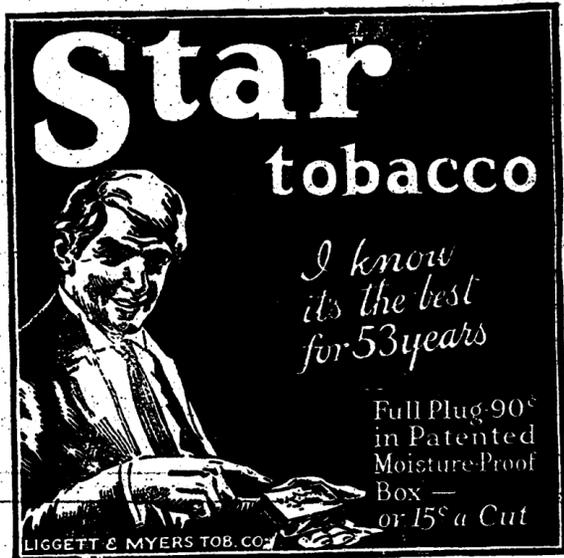
Miss Florence L. Brown has returned from her visit after a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Goodell, at Candler, N. C., and reports a most pleasant trip and visit.

Last Wednesday evening the degree staff of Hand in Hand Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., conferred their degree on one candidate at Odd Fellows hall at their regular meeting.

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"SOCIETY LAND"

(Continued from first page)

ing the road to Antrim (then the only road) at the old school house hill, just above where Judge Wilson now lives, and back across the river at a point near the present covered bridge to the line between Antrim and Hancock.

The falls on the river soon attracted the notice of manufacturers, and the old Whittemore Woolen Factory, which gave the village its name, was erected on the site of the buildings recently demolished, formerly occupied by the C. J. Kimball Co., a part of the original mill standing to the last.

A saw mill and grist mill were erected where the electric plant now stands, and the Flagg paper mill, one of the first in this vicinity, had its location where the Goodell Company works were located just above the depot. Thus that section became known as the Hancock Factory Village.

While this village increased in population each year, the Society Land also became a factor in their community life, for they were really all one; it soon became evident that they must sooner or later unite and form a new town by themselves.

Action was taken in the legislature to that effect, and Hancock Factory Village, with its adjacent territory, were separated from Hancock, and with the Society Land incorporated as the new town of Bennington. The Great and General Court designated three men to act as selectmen and call the first town meeting. These men happened to be three Johns,—John W. Flagg, a paper manufacturer, John Dodge, grandfather of the late George R. Dodge, and John H. Fleming. Two good dyed-in-the-wool Democrats and one black Republican, (or he would have been if the party had been formed at that time.) This was about the right percentage for my earliest recollections were that elections in the town were about thirty Republicans and sixty Democrats.

I will correct one statement I made in regard to roads from Society Land to Antrim. There was one road, not passable for teams, which started in at the foot of what is now known as Harrison hill near the Antrim depot, and followed the line of the present railroad to the Factory Village and Society Land. This was known in my earliest days as the rum road. Now, whether the Antrimites were in the habit of going to the Society Land for their liquid refreshments, or the other way round, I know that I well remember the beaten path along through the old farm, and presume they used to load so heavy that it would have been quite a task to haul up over the hill by the old road now called. This was before the days of the late Ex-Governor Goodell.

Now Mr. Editor, you have a little history. I was born in Bennington, in what was old Society Land, and I believe she is a pretty good old town, considering what she sprung from.

JOHN L. FLEMING.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE HILLSBOROUGH, SS.

Court of Probate
To the heirs at law of the estate of Edmund G. Dearborn late of Antrim in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein:

Whereas Jennie M. Dearborn administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, the account of her 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 25th day of May next, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this 18th day of April A. D. 1923.
By order of the Court,
S. J. Dearborn,
Register.

A FEW THOUGHTS

Suggested by What Is Happening Around

The "Commoner" is a thing of the past. We always enjoyed reading the paper, if we couldn't agree with all it had to say; it will be missed.

Talk about the New Hampshire legislature doing "fool stunts," how could any law making combination put over anything more foolish than the so-called daylight saving plan?

One more thing to worry about, as if there were not enough before—just what time must one leave his work in order to eat his dinner and catch the two o'clock train that leaves a little before one!

Nothing this state could do would be more to its credit than raising the "Sherman E. Burroughs Memorial Fund," the income from which to be used for the work of the New Hampshire Children's Aid and Protective Society, among the unfortunate children of the state, a work the late Congressman was so much interested in.

Living a number of miles from the coast it is hard for one to realize that a rainstorm and the attending fogs like the one that visited this section on Saturday last could be the cause of so much damage to shipping. The storm caused the wind and waves to run extremely high and the fogs did the rest. It gave one a feeling of sadness to read about it in Monday morning's papers.

Senator John W. Haigis, editor of the Greenfield Recorder and Turners Falls Reporter and president of the Greenfield Chamber of Commerce and the Franklin County Agricultural society, is the Massachusetts Senate leader in the fight to repeal the daylight-saving law that never has been wanted by the farmers of the commonwealth.

More power to Brother Haigis!

If there is another public man that the people wish to hear from more than they want to know what Senator G. H. Moses, of our Granite State, has to say regarding the recently proposed World Court the Reporter does not know who he is. Our senior Senator is not now in the U. S. A. and will not arrive yet for another week; but he's apt to say something when the right time arrives. He usually speaks so plain that the average man or woman has no difficulty in knowing what he means.

The Woman's Club

Met on Tuesday afternoon, April 24. The musical program consisted of groups of songs by Mrs. Jameson, piano duets by Miss Proctor and Mrs. Nichols, piano solo by Mrs. Thompson of Concord. A most interesting talk, by Rev. R. H. Tibbals, on Special Privileges, was greatly enjoyed by everyone present.

The Club luncheon, at Maplehurst Inn, at 1 o'clock, May 8, with the annual meeting for the election of officers afterward.

Food Sale tomorrow in town hall, at 3 o'clock.

Ethel Brooks Nichols, Sec'y.

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CHURCH NOTES

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METHODIST

Rev. Wm. Thompson, Pastor
Did you forget the meeting last Thursday evening? Well, don't do so this week. Remember, Thomas lived in gloom a whole week because he failed to be at a meeting.

Sunday a. m. The true doctrine about God, man and sin, was almost lost when Christ came. The mission of Christ was to establish the lost standard of goodness, which no civilization could prevent from decaying. His mission was not to gather armies, build cities, amass fortunes, and found a kingdom. He came to lift up God's truth in the midst of a dark world. The Holy Communion service will be held. All God's children are welcome to this Communion.

Sunday school will meet after the morning worship.

Sunday p. m. The best way to answer questions of sin, etc., is to consider the end of it. Why did man sin? That God might save him. Why is evil permitted to exist? That God may be glorified in removing it. Why do people die? That God may raise them up. Thinking of the questions in this way, we have light, certainty and comfort. Come to the union service Sunday evening. These problems will be presented by the pastor.

BAPTIST

Rev. R. H. Tibbals, Pastor

Thursday, regular mid-week meeting for prayer and conference. Following this will be a meeting of the Sunday school cabinet.

Sunday morning, worship at 10.45, with sermon by the Pastor. Topic: "The Christian Fellowship." Bible School at 12 o'clock.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN

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

Morning worship at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "The Bright Side of Christian Life." Bible school at noon.

Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock.

Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock, in the vestry. Subject for discussion, John, chapter 17.

Heat From Oil and Coal.

It is generally recognized that under normal conditions 125 gallons of oil will produce about the same amount of utilizable heat as a ton of coal. With gas oil at the present price of eight cents a gallon, the relative expenditures would be \$12 for oil and \$14 for coal.

There You Have It.

"Do you know the difference between an artist and an architect?" asked Billy's father.
"Yes," said the boy; "an artist draws something that is, and an architect draws something that isn't."

Intention Must Be There.

No one can ask honestly or hopefully to be delivered from temptation unless he has himself honestly and firmly determined to do the best he can to keep out of it.—Ruskin.

When Life Passes Quickly.

The years between the ages of twenty-five and forty seem to pass more quickly than any other period of life.

Be Thorough.

It is better to say, "This one thing I do," than to say, "These forty things I dabble in."—Washington, Gladden.

Where Life and Hope Clash.

Competition may be the life of trade, but co-operation is the hope of Christianity.—Kansas City Star.

Morpheus to the Rescue.

A married man seldom gets the last word because of his inability to remain awake.

See Hydrogen as Fuel.

Liquefied hydrogen, according to an Italian scientist, is the coming motor vehicle fuel.

Japanese Build by Standard.

In Japanese houses the rooms are always of standard sizes.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

The subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Nora M. Conn 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 Greenfield, N. H., April 1923.
ANGIE H. RUSSELL.

Bennington.

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Town Hall, Bennington at 7.45 o'clock

Wednesday, May 2

All Star Caste in "A Certain Rich Man"

Saturday, May 5

"Home Keeping Hearts"

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Comedy
Pathe Weekly

Mrs. Albert French was in Hillsboro a few days last week.

H. W. Wilson has been elected State Patriotic Instructor of the S. of V.

Benefit Movie Show for 7th and 8th grades, town hall, on Wednesday evening, May 9th.

E. J. Wilson was obliged to leave his work at the Goodell shop and return home Friday morning, on account of illness.

Fast Day proved to be moving day; Mr. Heath, Mr. Powers and Mr. Vieno, all making an exchange of houses, with their families.

The S. of V. Auxiliary entertained all the former and present Sons of Veterans at a supper and social entertainment on Monday evening, May 1.

The daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Williams, of Gardner, Mass., are spending a week with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Williams, at the Balch farm.

The change of time of trains makes a change in opening and closing of mails; the postoffice receiving the mails an hour earlier and dispatching them an hour earlier.

At the Congregational church on Sunday morning, at 10.45 o'clock, the pastor's topic will be "The Story of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." Sunday school at noon. Intermediate C. E. at 6 p.m., and the evening service at 7 o'clock; topic, "The Crusades."

On Saturday morning the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barr was burned about the knees. The nurse, who was preparing his food, accidentally spilled hot water on the little fellow. Dr. Tibbetts was called; the parents took the child to the hospital in Boston, under the doctor's direction.

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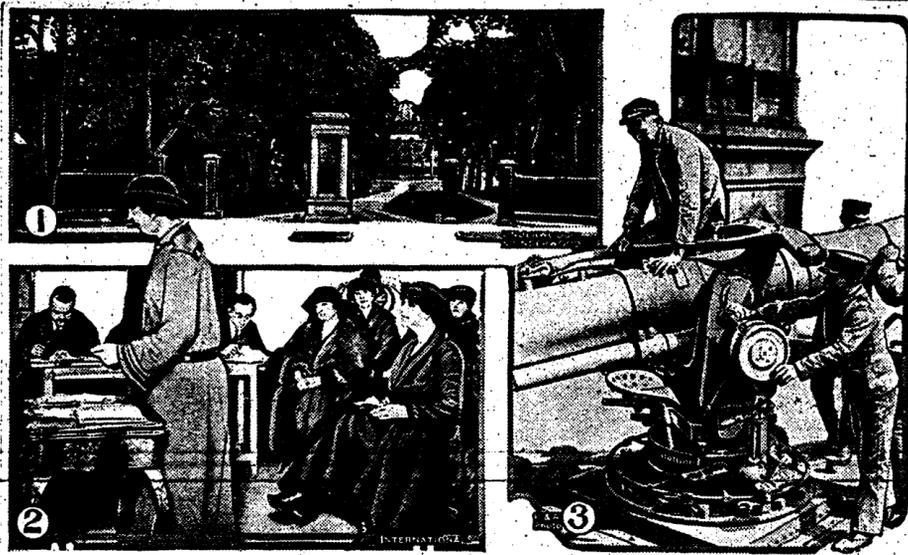
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1—John Howard Payne memorial gate at Union college, Schenectady, N. Y., where centennial of "Home, Sweet Home" will be celebrated May 8. 2—Mrs. Ella Negruzzi, first woman lawyer in Rumania, addressing first congress of Rumanian woman suffragists in Bucharest. 3—Men of Sixth battalion, U. S. Naval Reserve, getting an eagle boat ready for the spring cruise.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

President Commits Himself and Administration to the World Court Plan.

SEES NO SPLIT IN PARTY

Bitter Reply by Senator La Follette—Chester Concession Complicates the Lausanne Conference—Mussolini Strengthens His Position in Italy—Wedding of Duke of York.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

HAVE you made up your mind on the question of American membership in the world court? Do you believe the President's insistence on this issue will injure the chances of the Republican party in the next national election, or help those of the Democrats?

REJECTING the advice of certain possibly timorous advisers, President Harding has firmly committed himself, and his party so far as he is able, to American membership in the world court. In his New York address before the members of the Associated Press he asserted that this was in keeping with American ideals, and further had been repeatedly advocated by the Republican party in national conventions and by himself as that party's candidate.

La Follette's view is said to be also that of Senators Johnson and Borah, and all three of them are planning to trail after the President on his speech-making tour and present to the people their side of the argument.

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statement, but what other deduction can be made from the assertions of La Follette, given to the press in Washington last Wednesday? Here is a part of his fulmination:

"In its first aspect, this is a part of the cleverly conceived plan of the international bankers to entangle the United States in the affairs of Europe so that American wealth, American soldiers, and American ships can be used to safeguard and protect their now almost worthless investments in the bonds, currencies and enterprises of the tottering nations of Europe. This plan contemplates a political sham battle in which the Democrats will support the League of Nations and the administration Republicans will battle bravely for the world court—in other words, for the league in disguised and diluted form. Under this cunning plan, whether the pro-league Democrats or the pro-court Republicans win, the result will be the same—the United States will be hopelessly entangled in the European chaos.

"In its second aspect, the glorification of the world court is an attempt to draw a red herring across the trail of the great domestic issues and thus seek to save the administration and its supporting special interests from the wrath of an aroused and awakened people. They want American farmers to turn their eyes and their minds from their own bankrupt farms to the devastated areas of Europe, and thus forget that their present deplorable condition is the work of those great monopolistic interests which now control the political and economic machinery of the United States."

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his fellow-concessionaires. The British are inclined to support the French contentions in the matter, and it may be the whole dispute will be referred to arbitrators.

France and Turkey now have a "mad-on" at each other, and both have made threatening gestures in the way of military concentrations along the Syrian frontier. The Turks, however, say they do not expect war, and an official statement from Angora indicates they will make enough concessions to insure peace. At present they are assuming an unyielding attitude in the conference.

ALL THE world has been waiting to see whether Chancellor Cuno would give into the demands of the socialists and others and make a definite offer on reparations. It may be he will have done so before this is read. For a few days the Germans were encouraged in their fight against the French in the Ruhr by garbled reports of a speech by Marquis Curzon, indicating that England might intervene. Then they learned that Curzon had meant just the opposite, and later he also made it clear that Great Britain would not act as an intermediary for any offer from Germany to France.

The Berlin socialist press says the industrial magnates, by buying foreign exchange heavily on the Berlin bourse, have negatived the efforts of the reichsbank to maintain the mark at a stable level, and Cuno is called on to investigate. It is believed, however, he will do nothing because an inquiry might implicate him.

BENITO MUSSOLINI is preparing to put into effect in Italy some more drastic reforms, according to reports from Rome, and is likely to drive all non-fascist members from his cabinet, so that there shall be no effective opposition. Moreover, he proposed to the Fascist supreme council that all the Fascist be embodied into a national militia as a reserve naval force, and to this the council agreed. The militia thus becomes an army of 500,000 men, but no additional expenditure is entailed, because the new men enter the actual service only in an emergency. In this way Mussolini, it would appear, would hold the whip-hand over all his opponents.

Having effected many economies since coming into power, Premier Mussolini has reduced the budget deficit for the fiscal year 1923-24 to three billion lire or less. By discharging superfluous political employees and checking the waste of coal and supplies, he cut some 500,000,000 lire from the huge loss on the operation of railways, and he hopes to lease the state-owned lines to private capital. The Italian lira, it may be remarked, is now worth a little less than 5 cents.

TURKS, reparations and all other kinds of trouble were forgotten for a few days in London, and the people turned their attention to the marriage of the duke of York, second son of King George and Queen Mary, and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the earl of Strathmore. The ceremony was performed in Westminster abbey and the whole affair was stately and magnificent. Our ambassador and his wife were present in the abbey, Mr. Harvey being resident in full court regalia, including velvet knee breeches. Only seven other Americans—all newspaper men—witnessed the wedding ceremony.

CALIFORNIA'S anti-alien land laws were before the United States Supreme court last week in a hearing to test their constitutionality. Attorney General Webb, presenting the state's case, was interrupted by questions from the bench.

"What we want to know," Chief Justice Taft interjected, "is what the Japanese are doing to which you take objection."

"The white people refuse to assimilate with the Japanese," Mr. Webb replied, "and as the Japanese line advances we retreat, and we do not like to retreat."

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

FROGS' CONCERT

Now Grandpa Frog wanted to give a concert.

"We will give it for the benefit of the Frogs," he said.

"A worthy cause," agreed all the Frogs. "A worthy cause, indeed," they added.

"We will give it in one week," he said.

"A week from now will be just right," the Frogs agreed.

"And we must begin and practice at once," he said.

"We must practice each night now in Frog Hollow, for we must give our concert there, and we want to be sure if the acoustics are all right."

"The—what?" croaked the Frogs.

"Goog-a-room, goog-a-room, what in the world or in the pond or in the mud or in—in—anything, are acoustics?"

And, as they said the word, they swallowed very hard and gave very queer sounds as they tried to make it sound just right.

"Ah," said Grandpa Frog, "that is a noble word. A noble word, indeed."

"Does the word mean noble?" asked the Frogs.

"It doesn't have to mean anything like that," said Grandpa Frog. "A word as superior as the one I have so



"They Began Their Practice."

tately used is a kind of word which can stand on its own legs, so to speak."

"Gracious, has the word legs?" asked the Frogs.

"No," said Grandpa Frog, "I said it could stand on its own legs, 'so to speak.'"

"By adding that 'so to speak,' I showed that the word could not really stand on its own legs because the word has no legs."

"I said 'so to speak' to let you know it was but a manner of speaking and explaining that the word was so superior that it did not have to be noble."

"No, such a word doesn't have to be good, and it doesn't have to be pretty, and it doesn't have to be graceful."

"All, all by itself, it is a splendid word."

"And it means having to do with hearing."

"Why couldn't you have said ears and be done with it?" asked the Frogs.

"I did not want to 'be done with it' as you suggest, and besides, it doesn't mean ears."

"When I said in the first place that we wanted to see if the acoustics were all right, and to get used to the acoustics, I meant that we wanted to get used to the way our voices would be heard."

"If a person speaks of a hall where the voice—or voices—can be heard well and easily and delightfully, the person will say that the acoustics are excellent. It means that hearing is an easy and pleasant matter in that hall."

"Now, we want to get used to the acoustics. We want to be able to tell, too, if we can be heard easily and well, and so some of us shall take turns in sitting in the audience at our practices to find this out."

"And you see a word such as acoustics is such a fine sounding word, it's so much more magnificent a word than hearing that it doesn't have to associate with noble and good and such words."

"It's a word by itself."

"Well, I'm glad of that," said little Freddy Frog, who had been having a hard time trying to pronounce it. "And it can stay by itself for all I care. I'm not the Frog to make friends with it."

But then they began their practice for the opening concert.

And this was to be their opening song which they practiced again and again:

"A frog is a frog; He sits on a log; He's ready to bite If a good bite is in sight. He is fond of a bug, Goog-a-room, jug-jug! He loves to sing; He's a jolly old thing. He's here when it's spring; Goog-a-room, ding-a-ling! His music is great, But it's sound at any rate; And he welcomes in the springtime In his pond he thinks sublime. Goog-a-room, goog-a-room, the Frogs are here! Hearken! Listen! Aren't their voices clear?"

And they practiced this opening song again and again until the opening night of the concert, and then they kept on giving a concert every night, for it had become a habit with them!

Awfully Greedy Girl.

"How awfully greedy you are!" said one little girl to another. "You took the biggest apple from the basket just as I was going to take it myself."

VETERAN JUDGE GIVES TESTIMONY

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Some Squad.

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Shirtwaists for men are coming back, but we know one back they will not come to.—New York Mail.

A sitting hen may be a loafer, but she gets results.

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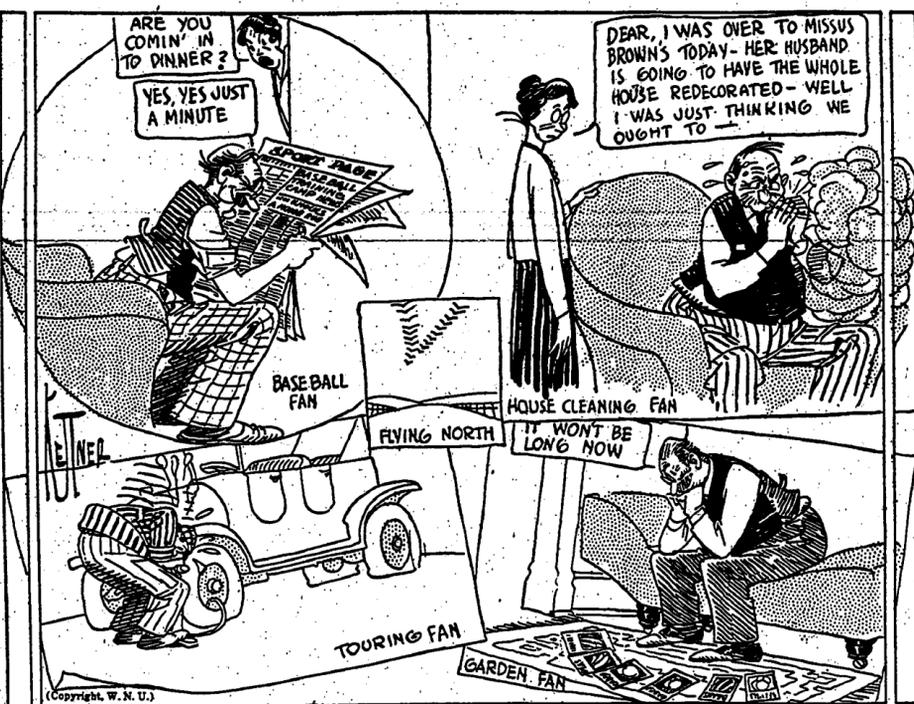
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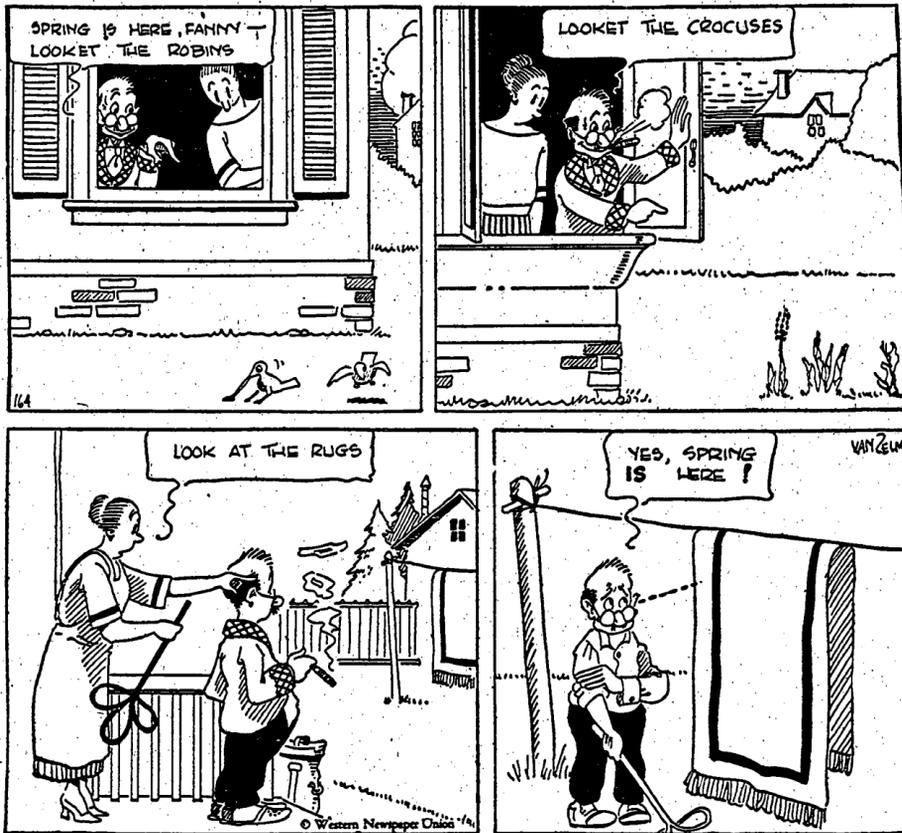
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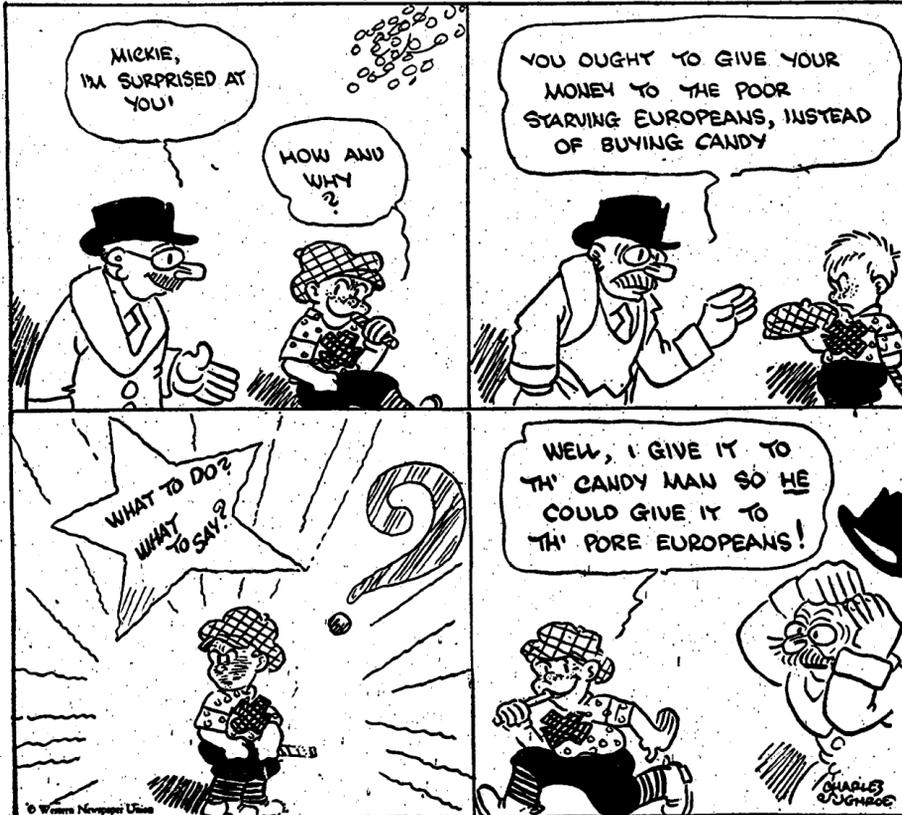
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Funeral Customs Alike.

The discovery of human hair in the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen suggests a parallel between Korean and Egyptian funeral customs. The Korean, when he buries his ancestor, places with him in the grave not only the precious porcelain vessels from which he ate and drank, but also all the nail parings and hair combings of his life. Similar customs are said to exist in many other countries. Probably the custom is due to the widespread superstition that in order to bewitch a person it is necessary to have some part of his body, such as hair or nail, and that these remnants are buried so that they may not fall into the hands of an enemy of the dead man.—Detroit News.

An Obstacle.

"One of the troubles of merchandising in a small town," confessed the proprietor of the Wiggly Wabbly store in Peewee-cuddlyhump, "is that our people are too well acquainted with each other. Nearly every time I attempt to reason with a lady about the terrible injustice done to local merchants by customers patronizing mail order concerns in distant cities, she comes right back at me with the information that my own wife sends away five times as much money to the mail order octopus—or octopi; I am not exactly clear as to which is the plural of octopus—as she herself does."—Kansas City Star.

Real Compliment.

Miss Catherine Wendell, the New York heiress who married Lord Porchester, heir to the earl of Carnarvon, is very pretty. Once, on meeting her, a little girl looked in silence into her wonderfully clear and brilliant eyes and then said: "Are your eyes new ones?"

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Modern Bagdad differs little from old Bagdad. Here one must become accustomed to interminable mud walls more monotonous than any standardized rows of houses, narrow and mainly deserted thoroughfares, dogs always underfoot, and only moon and starlight to guide the way at night.

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That Was the Last Straw

By MORRIS SCHULTZ

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Lucius Briggs walked heavily out of the directors' meeting. His look was complacent enough, his step was firm, his farewell suave, but he knew that in an hour the story of his ousting from the company would be all over the Street. It meant final defeat.

His enemies had downed him and swept away the elaborate but always tottering financial structure that he had reared. He had still all the money he required, but the dream of wealth and fame had been shattered—at his age, sixty, probably forever.

He was reflecting as he went back to his office that they could live very nicely on twelve thousand a year. He thought of retiring. Only the love of the game still possessed him.

He loved his office and the force he had built up. They had all been so loyal. He was thinking of this as he touched his bell for his stenographer. Miss Wilson came in. She had been with him five years, and he paid her sixty dollars a week. She was indispensable.

"Well, Mary, they beat me," he said. Miss Wilson shuffled her feet nervously. "Oh, Mr. Briggs, I shall be leaving you the end of the month," she said.

He looked at her in surprise. "Getting married?"

"No," she blurted out. "I'm going to work for Adams & Co."

A silence followed. Then, "You sold me out," he asked coldly.

She did not answer.

"All right, Miss Wilson. Ask the cashier for three months' bonus. You needn't show up again. No—no thanks or explanations, please."

When she had gone he reflected that blizzards had gone down to defeat from trusting in a woman. He shrugged his shoulders.

"Well, boy, it's all in the day's work," he said.

He went out of the office. On the way he met Tilton, his cashier.

"Well, they got us, Tilton," he said. Tilton cleared his throat. "Mr. Briggs, I—I want to say I've had an offer from—"

"Oh, go ahead, go ahead, Tilton. Take it," said Briggs. "I'll see you get three months' salary."

He walked out of the office whistling. At precisely that hour his chauffeur met him every day to drive him out to his country home. Today the chauffeur was there without the car.

"Mr. Briggs, the car—accident—hopelessly wrecked—"

"Oh, that's all right, Williams," said Mr. Briggs. "Accidents will happen. I'll find the trolley a change."

On the long ride out he was reflecting on the good dinner that Elizabeth would have waiting for him. After the day's work a dinner made him feel like a king. He was so absorbed in these reflections that he reached home almost before he knew it.

As he was about to get out of the trolley it started suddenly, precipitating him face downward in the mud.

The car stopped, the conductor and motorman ran to pick him up. His face was bruised, his arm wrenched, his suit completely crusted with mud. They were profuse and humble.

"Oh, that's all right," said Briggs cheerfully. "I guess you fellows will take more care next time. No, I'm not going to complain to the company."

He walked up the hill. To his surprise it was his wife who opened the door. She looked pale and agitated; she did not seem to notice his appearance.

"Lucius, something dreadful's happened. Dolly's eloped with the English footman. She's left a note. They're on their way to Bermuda for a honeymoon. I tried to get you on the telephone. Oh, it's so dreadful."

"Well, now, I don't know as to that," Lucius answered. "He seemed an educated young fellow, and if they were in love with each other—"

"Lucius, how can you stand there and say that? It's the most awful thing's ever happened."

"Well, it's happened now," answered Lucius. "Dinner ready, my love?"

"Dinner? How can you think of dinner? Cook's in hysterics, because he was engaged to her, and—"

"What, no dinner?" shouted Lucius. "I haven't thought of it. Lucius, why are you looking at me like that?"

He made no answer, but dashed like a madman into the house. The door of his study banged behind him. Five minutes later, after repeated tapings, his wife opened it.

Lucius Briggs lay face downward in a pool of blood, his hand still clutching the handle of his automatic.

Tracking a Dollar Bill

In order to trace the adventures of a dollar bill, in the course of a two weeks' circulation, the Chicago chamber of commerce recently put into circulation a new bill, with a circular attached, asking every person into whose hand it came to make a note of the use he had made of it. By the end of the fortnight it had been spent 31 times; five times it had gone in payment of salaries or wages, five times for tobacco, five times for cigarettes, three times for meals, three times for candy, twice for shaves, twice for men's furnishings, and once for collar buttons, automobile accessories, bacon, washing powder, garters, and tooth paste respectively. It had never found its way into a church collection or a theater!

England Has Oldest Manuscripts

The oldest manuscript written on cotton paper in England is in the British museum, and bears the date of 1049. The most ancient manuscript on the same material in the library of Paris is dated 1050. In 1085 A. D. the Christian successors of the Spanish Saracens made paper of rags instead of raw cotton, which is recognized by its yellowness and brittleness.

Long-Lived Trees

The heart of the common oak, it is said, begins to rot at the age of 300 years so even when an oak is undisturbed it rarely lives much beyond 500 years. A larch may live 275 years, a silver fir 423 years and a pine over 500 years. The yew has a remarkable power of resisting time's ravages and may survive for 1000 years or more.

Whence the Name Death Valley

Death valley, a low desert in Inyo county, California, near the Nevada border, was given its name by a survivor of an immigrant party of 30, who, in 1849 or 1850, lost their way there and of whom, after enduring indescribable sufferings, 18 perished in the sands.

Fails in Duty

The individual who is hurt by some one and fears and fails to make it known, and thus give opportunity for explanation and correction, deserves what he suffers for his lack of courage, and even more for his failure to give occasion for justice to be done.—Alexander Lyons.

Stevenson's View of Life

Any one can carry his burden, however heavy, till nightfall. Any one can do his work, however hard, for one day. Any one can live sweetly, patiently, lovingly, purely, till the sun goes down. And that is all that life ever really means.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Can Join Mica

A process for joining mica has been patented by a Calcutta man. It consists in bringing the parts into contact, applying a mica solution, and subjecting the whole to heat and to slight pressure. With borax used as a flux mica may thus be joined to metal.

Formation of Mercury

Mercury occurs native in the metallic form, but by far the larger part of it is obtained by distilling the native sulphide, cinnabar, in a current of air so regulated as to burn the sulphur of the sulphide while leaving the mercury in the metallic state.

Oldest Trade Union

The oldest unions in the world, are the trade guilds of Constantinople, centuries old. All workers, no matter how humble their positions—vendors, porters, barbers and postmen—belong to a guild.

Superiority Brings Earnings

You have to earn what you get. And to earn more than the ordinary man you must study and plan and scheme and work and sweat and plod more than he does.—A. C. Gilbert.

New Salmon-Packing Method

A new method of packing salmon for the foreign trade, which consists in chilling the fish without actually freezing them, has been introduced by the fish packers in Labrador.

O Boy!

Ever notice your deskmate in the office when he gets a letter from his wife, then take a slant at him when he opens one from his girl?—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Quite So

A doctor has written an article defending cosmetics. We always thought their use injurious, but this puts a new complexion on the matter.—From the Boston Transcript.

Mice as Human Food

Mice are eaten more in Africa than elsewhere; they are a favorite dish of the Mahari, in Borotse valley. Liberia is a country where they are eaten frequently.

Such Is Man

When he is born, his mother gets the attention; at his marriage, the bride gets it; at his funeral the widow gets it.—From the Associated Editors.

The Pie-Eating City

The greatest pie-eating city of this country has been claimed by Los Angeles, Cal., with a consumption of 40,000 pies per day.

When Brains Are Really Necessary

It is true, Chlorinda, that no brains are required to inherit money, but a good supply is necessary to keep it.—New Orleans States.

Cliff-Dwellers Had Idols

Stone idols were used in the religious ceremonials of the prehistoric cliff-dwellers of Colorado, it has recently been discovered.

Mentioning No Names

We are told that the truth will out—and it seems to be everlastingly out of some people.—Exchange.

Where Girls Fade Early

It is said Egyptian girls are very pretty for fifteen, but immediately after begin to fade.

Lack Lasting Qualities

There are people who, like new songs, are in vogue only for a time.—Boston Herald.

Collector's Sale of Resident Real Estate

All persons interested in the following tracts of land in the town of Antrim, County of Hillsborough, are notified that the same are taxed in the tax list for the year 1922, committed to the subscriber, who is tax collector for said town for the year 1922, as follows:

Alvin Brown Est., occupied by David Brown and John Brown, Homestead, amount of tax, \$51.30.

And if no person shall appear to discharge one-half of said taxes on or before the 20th day of June, 1923, at two o'clock in the afternoon, I shall on said day and hour proceed to sell one undivided half at the Selectmen's Room, in said town, at public auction, so much of said real estate, owned by each delinquent, respectively, as will be sufficient to discharge one-half of said taxes, and all incidental charges.

April 23, 1923.

WILLIAM C. HILLS, Collector.

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Court of Probate

To Edmund G. Dearborn and Benton N. Dearborn both of Antrim in said County, under the guardianship of Jennie M. Dearborn and all others interested therein:

Whereas said guardian has filed the accounts of her said guardianships in the Probate Office for said County:

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

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

Given at Nashua in said County, this 18th day of April A. D. 1923.

By order of the Court,

S. J. Dearborn, Register.

NOTICE

The undersigned, Fish and Game Commissioner of the State of New Hampshire, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by Section 24, Chapter 184, Laws of 1917, do hereby close Salmon Brook in the town of Antrim, to all fishing from April 15, 1923, to June 15, 1925.

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No man is wise or safe but that he is honest.
The health of the people is a national resource.
Love is a poor collector, but a good paymaster.
Perfume manufacturers make dollars out of scents.
All men respect the good, but not the unco good.
When in doubt, a wise man gets out—if possible.
Plan a rotation system for the next four or five years.
An ounce of happiness is better than a ton of hard coal.
It is always well to understand when to stand from under.
Probably a slow-thinking, deliberate man hates "pep" most.
None know how high they can fly until they have to fly.
Too much honey is sometimes as bad as too much gall.
To err is human, but to err with spite is not so much so.
Our idea of a foolish man is one who argues with a friend.
Every tenth man in the United States dies of an accident.
Doing good is the one certain happy action of a man or woman.

A political pull is often a great strain on the candidate's leg.
He who is false to present duty breaks a thread in life's loom.
Folks talk the most when they know their talk won't effect anything.
The course of true love requires a lot of money to keep it in repair.
Reform is all right; it's the reformers who most often go wrong.
It worries a woman when she expects news and it doesn't show up.
No, Roland, we can't conscientiously recommend the footpad for cold feet.
Automobiles are now the universal mode of travel for the modern man.
Pity the man who is unable to distinguish between his friends and his enemies.
If one will repent of his thoughts he isn't likely to have to repent his deeds.
No children's playground will be quite perfect until it makes provision for dogs.
Fortune smiles on some, but they're not so lucky if the smile broadens into a laugh.
A woman can't make a monkey of every man she meets; sometimes she's too late.

Did you ever hear of a doctor's telling a rich man that there was no hope for him?
When you hear a man always prating about honesty, set him down as a deadbeat.
You can stop a stream by damming it, but you can't stop an automobile that way.
One may dress as if he were younger, perhaps, but better make the limit ten years.
A thing of beauty may remain a joy forever, if you let the other fellow marry her.
You notice there is just as much ice cream eaten, no matter how hard the times are.
There are angels and angels—and a man often discovers that he married the other kind.
When a girl elopes with a poor young man her mother attributes it to temporary insanity.
It occasionally happens that a good debater, proves his case when he isn't sure of it himself.

SETTLED THE WHOLE MATTER

Flapper Saw Dreadful Possibility if She Followed Advice Given Her by Business Woman.

The capable Business Woman is an "employment expert" in one of the large downtown offices. The types that come to her are many and interesting. One girl applied. She wore clothes that were technically within the law, and no more. Her face wore a heavy mask of rouge and powder, while her "frizzled" bobbed hair was adorned with a ridiculous hat. "I'd like a position as sten. here," she announced. "I'm afraid I have nothing for you," replied the Business Woman somewhat coldly, and then becoming conscience-stricken at her total lack of sympathy with the flapper, she added in a friendlier tone: "May I give you a bit of advice? I hope you won't misunderstand me when I say you are not appropriately dressed for an office. You should dress more discreetly, otherwise you may be misjudged. Next time you apply for a position wear a dress with real sleeves, don't curl your hair so tightly, and if you must wear rouge, put it on sparingly. You might also get a semi-tailored hat—" "Good heavens!" interrupted the flapper, aghast. "If I dressed that way I'd look like you."—New York Sun.

NOT MR. JOHNSON'S 'VARMINT'

According to Outward Signs, Youngster Had No Kinship With His Numerous Family Group.

"I've got a good joke on Aunt Furry, that there able lady that's been at our house for six weeks or so," related Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "Yesterday as I was driving home from town I overtook her yanking a small boy along by the neck. "What 'pears to be coming off?' says I. "The teacher sent a little girl to the house a spell ago," says she, "to tell that this yur young villain was raising hob in school and she couldn't do anything with him. Your wife is feeling puny, and so I went over and yanked him out. I want you to get down and give him a falling, and—" "I don't reckon I've got anything to do about it," says I. "You don't?" says she. "He's your son, ain't he?" "Not as fur as I know," says I. "Most of mine of about that size are bow-legged, while this varmint 'pears to be knock-kneed. Take him down to the creek yander and wash his face, and the chances are that you'll find he belongs to Gabe Giggery, or somebody else. Yaw-haw! haw!"—Kansas City Star.

CENTRAL FACT OF HINDUISM

According to Leader, "Cow Protection" is the Gift of That Cult to the World.

Mahatma Gandhi, the Indian leader, says that the central fact of Hinduism is cow protection. "The cow was in India the best companion," declares Gandhi. "She was the giver of plenty. Not only did she give milk, but she also made agriculture possible. She is the mother of millions of Indian mankind. The ancient seer, whoever he is, began with the cow. Cow protection is the gift of Hinduism to the world. And Hinduism will live as long as there are Hindus to protect the cow. "The way to protect is to die for her. It is a denial of Hinduism to kill a human being to protect a cow: Hindus are enjoined to protect the cow by self-purification, by self-sacrifice. The present-day cow protection has degenerated into a perpetual feud with the Mussulman, whereas cow protection means conquering the Mussulman by our love."

Tongue Too Foolhardy. I was one of a group of young people at the country club, and we were looking at the trophies to be played for during the season. Knowing my predilection for art, a friend of mine pointed to an atrocious oil painting and said, "I suppose you are going for that prize." "Heavens, no," I exclaimed. "No, thanks!" She looked strangely offended. "So you don't like it?" she asked. "My husband and I thought it nice; we are giving it as the trophy for the Saturday sunset tournament." My only refuge was a veil of blushes and a jumble of meaningless apologies.—Exchange.

Miles of Miles. Will H. Hays, the high-salaried reformer of the movies, said at a luncheon:

"When I introduced my kissing reform—no film, you know, to be over seven feet long—a director said to me:

"Such a restriction is absurd, Mr. Hays. Why, on my honeymoon journey I had a kiss seven miles long. Yes, and it would have been longer yet if the tunnel hadn't ended."

One Sense Missing. Teacher—How many senses are there?
Student—Six.
"How is that? I have only five."
"I know it. The other is common sense."—London Answers.

Mutually Satisfied. Ethel—Was their honeymoon a success?
Clara—Goodness, yes! They spent the last week of it in arranging for a quiet divorce.