

# The Stanstead Journal.

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ROCK ISLAND, (STANSTEAD) P. Q., THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1912.

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## Tenders Wanted

For \$20,000 corporation Bonds, Village of Beebe Plain, as per By-Law No. 50.

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S. B. NORTON, Chairman.  
H. B. STEWART, Mayor.

## TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. C. J. Wayne, of Boston, was in town Monday.

Mr. Harry G. Clarke, of Boston, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. J. H. North, of Boston, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Wilbur Telford has taken a clerkship at the Quebec Bank.

Mr. A. D. Wilcomb, of White River Junction, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. L. R. Brush, of Boston, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Charles R. Lamb of Boston, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Col. W. W. Sprague of St. Johnsbury, was in town Friday and Saturday.

Mr. C. H. Swift, Jr., of Utica, N. Y., was in town for hardwood lumber Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. (Dr.) H. D. Grant of Bowdoinham, Maine, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Hollis Clark.

Mr. John U. Baxter is at home from Montreal and Mrs. Baxter and daughter Helen are expected soon.

Messrs. Edward Beaubard and Louis Moreau have purchased the City Meat Market, taking possession last Friday.

Mr. W. H. McDowell reports over a ton of maple sugar to date this season and sap run very well yesterday. The quality is excellent this year.

Mr. W. Morton of The Quebec Bank staff, has received word from his home in Glasgow, Scotland, of the death of his father the Monday following Easter.

Joseph I. Labounty has been delayed in starting his hack business, but expects to be ready to convey people to church next Sunday and to do a general business thereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Demick, of Montreal, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hills, of New York, for the past two weeks, returned to their home on the 14th inst.

I have three lots remaining unsold of my Elm Street sub-division, numbers 3, 4 and 10. The price is the same as those sold, \$200. On June 1st I shall advance the price to \$250. Dr. H. P. Stockwell.

Miss Margaret Ellis, of St. Johnsbury, was in town on Monday. Miss Ellis has completed her two years' training course at at Brightlook Hospital, graduating from that institution on Friday and took her first case in South Lancaster, Mass., on Wednesday. The friends of Miss Ellis will be pleased to know of her success.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Hennigan of East Milton, Mass., arrived at Derby Line Tuesday evening. It was raining heavily when they left Boston; on the way up they ran into a snowstorm, and since their arrival there has been no occasion for complaint about the heat. Mr. Hennigan reports a backward season at the "Hub." They will return to the Bay State Saturday.

Kindle the rubbish fire, get out your garden rake and clean up about your buildings. Repair your window and door screens, painting the frames and wire and have them ready. Don't let the millers and flies get ahead of you. Move all refuse to the dumping ground. Clean all out-houses and cellar. Use coppers liberally about your buildings and grounds. Your summer's health and comfort depends largely upon the exercise of these precautions.

## TOWN TOPICS.

Wanted—10 Sales Ladies. Apply at once. Clement & Co.

Mrs. A. B. Sunbury is visiting relatives at North Hatley.

Cream Tarter for 15 cents a pound at F. W. D. Melloon's.

F. W. D. Melloon is selling a pound of pure Ginger for 15 cents.

Six bars of Comfort Soap for 25 cents at F. W. D. Melloon's.

Mr. Sidney A. Mead, Provincial Surveyor of Coaticook, is in town to-day.

Melloon is still selling Quaker Oats with china in each package at 19 cents.

If you are interested in puzzles or pianos read W. B. LeBaron's ad on the next page.

Stanstead College has organized a baseball team. "Chick" Hyndman is the choice for captain.

Miss Mary J. Hall arrived in town Wednesday evening and will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Warren Masten of Valentine Avenue, who has been quite ill for a few weeks is now much better.

The Ladies Guild of Christ Church will meet in the parish room Tuesday afternoon, April 30, at 2 o'clock.

The ladies of Stanstead College will be at home to their friends Thursday afternoon, May 2nd, from four to six.

Mr. Florin L. Spaulding, Mrs. Frank Shaw and two children, of Dead Water, Maine, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. H. Batchelder.

Pants—For the "White Duck Ball" will be supplied by Samuel T. Dunn, at very low prices. Call at his home between the 25th and 30th of April.

An announcement of special prizes on vegetables and flowers in connection with the Horticultural and Agricultural Societies is made on the next page.

The 1912 line of buggies, surreys, express and delivery wagons at Lee Farm is the best ever shown. Read the ad on the sixth page—or better still, call and see the goods.

The first of the graduation recitals, at the Eastern Townships College of Music, will be given in Pierce Hall, Friday evening, April 26, by Miss Lulu Hall and Mr. Lyell Gustin, assisted by Miss Ida Pierce. The public are cordially invited to attend.

The Children of Mary of the R. C. Church at their card party the 9th of April, realized the sum of \$81.25, out of that sum they have purchased a banner of the Blessed Virgin of Mary. The banner was made by Mr. G. P. Tansey of Montreal. On the 5th of May the banner will be blessed and ten new members will unite with the society.

Suddard's Furniture Store in the Sweeney Block, Rock Island, has the best line of Bedroom Sets, Extension Tables, Dining Chairs, Buffets, Sideboards, Chiffoniers, Rockers, Desks, Parlor Tables, Baby Carriages, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Window Shades, Etc., ever shown in Rock Island, at very moderate prices. Its the place to buy and save money.

Messrs. E. M. Campbell and C. F. Bellam of Beebe Junction were in town yesterday on business. They have registered a partnership under the firm name of Campbell & Bellam, for the purpose of conducting a real estate, general insurance and automobile business. They have the Ford and Maxwell agencies. Their first Maxwell sale was to Douglas Lindsay.

Merrill & Raymond have disposed of the H. D. Holmes farm in Holland, Mr. A. T. Petry being the new owner, the vendors reserving all the wood and timber, except maple. Mr. Petry takes possession at once. In the trade Merrill & Raymond have taken over Mr. Petry's home, black-smith shop, tools, etc., at Rock Island. It is understood that the Petry building, which is located at the upper end of Railroad street, will be replaced by a business block.

Those interested in the national game of baseball met at the Derby Line Hotel Friday evening and plans for the season were quite fully discussed. The meeting was fairly representative. Mr. W. H. Kirkland was the choice for manager of the team, and Mr. J. M. Phelan was chosen secretary-treasurer. The idea of securing funds by subscription for starting the season was not favorably received, and a committee of gentlemen was suggested to act as a board of guarantors: C. R. Jenkins, W. F. Pike, T. O. Chapman, R. F. Telford, J. F. Telford, H. P. Stockwell, Gilbert Suddard, Chas. EBennett, W. H. Kirkland and J. M. Phelan. It looks like good ball this season. The manager is a hustler and, if it is possible we will have a fine season.

## TOWN TOPICS.

For Sale—Glenwood E. Range in good condition. Price right. Apply to J. E. St. Pierre.

"Lee Farm" is showing a fine stock of spring and summer driving vehicles, harnesses and robes.

Wanted—Two or three experienced or inexperienced stitchers at once. Apply Crown Mfg. Co., Ltd.

The tennis court at the College is having early attention and we understand "Sunnyside" is to have one this season.

Mr. Geo. A. Peasley and son invited a few of their friends to a sugaring-off at Hillside farm April 21st. This is an annual event, and is always much enjoyed by those who attend.

Francis Pocock of Beebe has bought the old Bacon house, formerly owned and occupied by J. W. Elder. It is announced that Mr. Pocock contemplates erecting a shirt factory on the back part of the lot.

Why don't some of the fellows at the College "get busy" and fix up the shade trees about the College grounds? Mr. Bennett, the local forester on the States side would be more than pleased to suggest ways and means for effecting this. A young man has acquired something worth while when he can do something work.

Douglas Lindsay formerly of Georgeville, has bought the Francis Pocock house at Beebe. Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay came to Beebe last fall to secure better educational advantages for their children. They have occupied one of C. F. Bayley's tenements during the past winter. The sale of the Pocock property was made through Campbell & Bellam's real estate agency.

Old Papers Wanted—By the M. Y. C. boys. They are picking up old papers and magazines to ship to a paper mill that will pay for them and thereby add to their sinking fund. If you want to help them send them word that you have a contribution for them. They hope to obtain one or two car loads. They want a club room, let us take hold and help them, they are our boys.

The card party given last week for the benefit of the R. C. Cemetery Association by Mrs. Byron Herrick and Miss Mena Seguin, was one of the most pleasant events of the season; and the supper served was pronounced by all to be unsurpassed. The receipts exceeded any of the previous ones, these young ladies made them all take a back seat. We will all look forward for their names on the flyers another season.

Mr. E. Stanley Gardner, of Montreal, who has lately been coming into prominence as a pianist, will leave this week for Berlin, Germany, sailing from New York April 30th. He is going abroad to study music and will likely remain in Europe two years. He will be accompanied to New York by his brother, Mr. C. C. Gardner, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Both young men are known by many in this locality.

Mr. George H. St. Pierre, who was chosen as the Conservative standard bearer for the Provincial contest has been forced to withdraw on account of impaired health. Mr. St. Pierre has been afflicted with a heart difficulty for some time, and of late the trouble seems to have become worse. A short time ago local physicians advised him to withdraw from the political arena. Last Friday he went to Boston to consult a specialist, who seems to have confirmed the judgment of the Stanstead medical men. Mr. St. Pierre's continued indisposition causes general regret among his wide circle of acquaintances—by whom he is known as a kindly, courteous and capable man. His retirement from politics, however, will afford relief to some. By most of those of the opposite political faith, at least, he was regarded as the strongest man in the Conservative ranks. Then there are those who dislike the turmoil of an election anyway—and where both candidates happen to be numbered among one's friends and neighbors the matter becomes distressing. Whatever may be the political outcome all will hope for Mr. St. Pierre's speedy recovery. The Conservative convention is set for Monday at Ayer's Cliff. In the meantime it is now stated that Mr. A. Gerin, of Coaticook is slated for the candidacy of the party. Mr. Gerin is proprietor of a creamery as well as a wholesale dealer in flour and feed, and is said to be a man of considerable means. The official announcement of Mr. St. Pierre's withdrawal appears on the third page of this paper. A meeting of the electors of Stanstead Plain is called for Saturday evening to choose delegates to the County convention.

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JOHN AIRD, Assistant General Manager

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J. MACKINNON, Manager-in-Chief Eastern Townships Division.

## TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. A. B. Sunbury returned yesterday from a trip to Lowell, Mass., and other New England points.

Mr. Nelson Bartlett, of Manchester, N. H., was a guest at H. H. Smith's from Sunday until Tuesday.

A meeting of the Conservatives of Rock Island will be held at the council room, Saturday evening to elect delegates to the Ayer's Cliff convention Monday.

Messrs. James F. McLaughlin and W. S. Woodbury, of Lowell, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. LaFrance and Mr. and Mrs. John B. Seguin from Friday until Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Hallett went to Montreal this morning as delegates from the local church to the annual meeting of the Quebec Association of Congregational Churches to-day and to-morrow. This is their first visit to this city.

Services at the Congregational Church Sunday at the usual hours, subject of the morning sermon; "Growth in Grace." Evening; Echoes from the Congregational Association of Quebec. Miss Ida L. Pierce, soloist. Sabbath School at noon.

All friends and supporters of the present government at Quebec are invited to attend the meeting of the Rock Island Liberal Club at the council room Friday evening, April 26th, at 7.45. Members of the organization are specially requested to be on hand promptly.

Centenary Methodist Church, Sunday, April 28, 1912. Morning theme: "Man's Supreme Duty." Evening: Service of Song. Duet, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," Mrs. Caswell and Mr. Sisco. Solo, "As Pants the Hart," Miss Corning, with violin obligato by Miss Smith. Quartet, "Nearer my God to Thee," Messrs Jamieson and Marsh, Messrs. Sisco and Montle. Mrs. Adam's Hymn, "Nearer my God to Thee," Mrs. Irvine, soloist. W. S. Jamieson, pastor.

## MASSAWIPPI.

Mr. A. Pomeroy, of Compton, Immigration agent, was in town Saturday the guest of Mr. T. St. Dizier.

The regular April meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be held Wednesday, May 1st, at the home of the President, Mrs. Ham. It will be local annual, and reports are asked for, also fees for the coming year. Officers will be elected and plans made to entertain the Hatley Township Union the date of which will be made known later.

## MCCONNELL.

Sugaring seems to be about done, some farmers having gathered their buckets. This has been rather a poor season for sugar-makers, a small crop having been made.

The recent heavy rains have been a grand thing to settle the ground and take the frost out.

Mr. E. Howe, of Hatley, was a recent guest at Glen Brook Farm.

Mr. Alfred Gauthier is preparing to build a fine addition to his barn.

## "THE DOCTOR."

Dr. Dillington Hopper and his friends, Thomas Picton, Crumby Chuggs, Nap B. Plunker, Mrs. Fanny Mayfair, Mrs. Anastasia Billowby and Effie Picton entertained their friends at St. Joseph's Hall, Tuesday evening.

The improvised properties and scenery were a good beginning in fitting out the stage, and this initial play. The "Doctor" was well presented, it was good amateur work. Ted Cosby as the "Doctor" was as fresh and funny as ever. George Sauvé as "Thomas Picton" presented the character of the young man well keeping his lines. Cherrie Cordeau as "Crumby Chuggs" and Henry Gauthier as "Plunker" were a likely pair of comedians, their make-ups were excellent; Cherrie's goatee was the real thing. The young ladies, Blanche Audet as Fanny, Margaret Labonte as Anastasia and Miss Dupuis as Effie, were fine. In every situation they all supported the Doctor like people of more experience than we learn they have had. The house was liberal and it must have been a financial success.

Hovey's Orchestra of five pieces and piano was an important factor. Miss Lilly Moreau sang "Spring is Coming" beautifully, and Mr. Edward Garceau sang "When Night Falls O'er the Sea" in his usual good voice and taste. It was a very enjoyable evening and we hope it will encourage our Catholic young people to give other plays.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

Spring has come, and with it the natural responsibility of every property owner and tenant for observing the sanitary requirements of the Provincial Board of Health. Article 54 reads: "On the 1st of May of each year all cellars, yards and dependencies of each house must have been cleaned out, and all animal and vegetable matter removed."

It is a duty we owe ourselves and families, as well as our neighbors, to make all the provisions possible for the public health and welfare, and this can only be accomplished during the summer months by vigilant attention to our premises.

The inspectors will, at the proper time, visit every home in town, and while they do not like to threaten or coerce, they feel duty bound to see that the health laws are observed. We wish to especially notify the public that we will not tolerate open sink drains; that where sewers are not accessible cesspools, properly constructed and covered, must be maintained; sinks must be "trapped;" no cesspool allowed to overflow; no closet vault allowed accessible to flies, &c., &c.

Please do not spit on the sidewalks, or on the floor of any public building, or vehicle; it is an indictable offense and carries with it a penalty of five dollars for the first offense.

For disinfecting use Bi-chloride of mercury, 2 drachms to a gallon of water. Carbolic acid, sulphur, chloride of lime, formaldehyde gas, are all powerful germicides when used properly.

E. D. MOULTON,  
P. A. GOBELLE,  
Board of Health  
Village of Rock Island.

# \$4,685.00 IN PRIZES GIVEN AWAY

By W. B. LeBaron, of Sherbrooke, Que.

FOR the purpose of advertising my business more thoroughly in Sherbrooke and vicinity, I have determined upon a plan whereby I will not only accomplish this wonderful object but will receive the gratitude of all parties in this great event.

We want the LEBARON MUSIC HOUSE to become a houseword in the Eastern Townships, hence I make announcement of contest as follows: and while you are solving same just bear in mind that there are no finer Pianos in the whole world than the celebrated GERHARD HEINTZMAN, ENNIS, MARTIN-ORME AND NEW SCALE WILLIAMS.

READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

TAKE the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, and arrange them in the blank opposite so that the total of any row (counting either up or down, diagonally or across) will always be just 15.

	9	
	5	
	1	

IN order to get you started right, we have already placed three numbers, (9, 5 and 1) in their spaces, leaving only six numbers more for you to arrange.

WRITE YOUR SOLUTION in the puzzle blank above, attach it to a letter or sheet of paper with your full name and address written very plainly, and mail or bring it to W. B. LEBARON, Sherbrooke, Contest Department.

THE CONTEST is open to every family in the Eastern Townships. Only one member of a family can compete. For those who send in a correct or nearest correct as well as the Cleverest Solution to this puzzle before 6 p. m., April 30th, 1912, there are reserved the several prizes specified below, aggregating in all \$4,685.

## THE PRIZES

1st Prize—A Beautiful \$350 Ennis Cabinet Grand Piano. 2nd Prize—A \$150 Piano Bond, good towards the purchase price of any new Piano in the Store, and \$10 in Gold. 3rd Prize—A \$100 Piano Bond, good towards the purchase price of any new Piano in the Store

THE next 57 best solutions will be awarded a \$75 Piano Bond, good on the purchase price of any new Piano in the Store, making a total of \$4,685. The Judges who will award the prizes are competent representatives of Sherbrooke whose reputations are beyond reproach, the contestants will be notified as soon as the awards are made.

Read this carefully—Remember it costs nothing to compete for these prizes, only a little time and energy and you may receive a beautiful Piano absolutely free.

Important notice—If more than one member of a family tries to compete, or if any person sends in more than one answer, they will be disqualified and their answers thrown out. Remember the contest closes at 6 p. m., April 30th, 1912. Address all correspondence to W. B. LeBaron, Contest Dept., Sherbrooke.

### THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS MAY 15, 1912.

#### An Appeal to the Electors of the Province.

In view of the forthcoming provincial elections on May 15th, next, the Quebec Provincial Branch of the Dominion Alliance for the Suppression of the Liquor Traffic earnestly appeals to the electors of all parties to immediately interest themselves in securing the nomination by their respective Conventions of such candidates only as may be thoroughly in favor of progressive and restrictive Temperance Legislation and the strict enforcement of all laws relating to the liquor traffic.

It has often been found that the protests of temperance electors have resulted in the names of pro-liquor candidates being dropped and those of satisfactory temperance candidates being substituted.

Strong demands are being made by the liquor interests for the repeal of the early closing law recently enacted by the Gouin Government and which has already had such splendid results. It is imperative, therefore, that only such candidates as can be trusted to sustain the early Closing Law should have the support of temperance electors.

(Signed) S. J. CARTER, President.  
J. H. ROBERTS, Secretary.

#### HATLEY CENTER.

Mr. Robert Bennett has been quite indisposed at the home of Mr. Bond Little.

Mr. Bond Little is slowly recovering from la grippe and neuralgia, but is not able to be out about his usual duties very much yet.

Miss Mary E. Little, of Waterville, has been attending her brother, Mr. Bond Little, during his recent illness.

Special prayers were offered at our afternoon service on Sunday in remembrance of the saddened relatives of the victims of the Titanic wreck.

The Farmer's Club of Hatley, will convene on Saturday evening, May 4, at 7.30 o'clock. All members should attend as the meeting will be of general interest to all. This organization is in good working order now and has many benefits for its members. The secretary would like through the medium of the JOURNAL to ask that all members who have not already paid their subscription for the present year would endeavor to do so at our next meeting as a list of members in good standing must be sent to the Provincial authorities in a very short time.

Farmers are again in the midst of sugaring, the last few evenings of frost has produced a good run of sap.

#### NORTH HATLEY.

A happy day was spent last Saturday, when many of Master Russell Call's little friends met to celebrate his fifth birthday.

Mrs. A. M. Bowen of the Valley House was in Sherbrooke last Saturday.

Mr. E. B. Cochrane has arrived and will make some needed improvements on his cottage.

Mr. J. Stebbins is shingling his house.

St. Barnabas Church has been newly shingled.

Mr. Leslie Bean has sold his house and grounds to the Bishop, where in the near future they will erect a new R. C. Church.

Dr. C. J. Edgar has purchased the Priest's home near S. A. McKay's.

Mrs. O. Bean and Mrs. Harry Robinson have gone to the hospital at Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jackson have returned from Raleigh, N. C., where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bean, of Sherbrooke, were week-end guests of relatives here.

Mr. F. B. Wilson of Sherbrooke, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Arthur Bowen is overhauling the Valley House and with a new coat of paint it will be strictly up-to-date.

The Misses Walker are making necessary repairs on one of their cottages.

Mr. Abbott LeBaron was in Magog on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner of Beebe, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder Reed.

Miss Mary C. Frick, of Baltimore, is expected to arrive here next Saturday.

Mrs. David Johnson was in Sherbrooke on Tuesday.

#### SMITH'S MILLS.

We hear that Mrs. Henry Loveland leaves to-day for the hospital for an operation. Her mother, Mrs. Raymond, goes with her.

Hattie Reed was in the place over Sunday.

The roads are getting real good in places, but they are very bad and full of holes in some other places.

Cheney Copp, of Newport, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Henry Longway.

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins spent Friday at Derby Line.

Our post-office has been moved to Miller & Cass' store from C. Lee Jenkins' store, where it has been for so many years.

Winnie Longway spent Friday at Beebe with her aunt, Mrs. Brown.

#### FITCH BAY.

Miss Ella Doloff returned on Thursday from Los Angeles, Cal., where she spent the winter. Her many friends are glad to welcome her back.

The Y Society was very pleasantly entertained on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Christie Gustin. The meeting was conducted by the first vice-president, Mrs. Paul. The meeting opened by chorus. After the meeting delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Gustin. The next meeting will be held May 3rd at the home of Mrs. Paul. As this is the annual business meeting all members are requested to pay their dues for the coming year to the treasurer before that date. All business will be transacted at that meeting and delegates appointed to attend the County Convention on May 28th. All members are asked to be present at this meeting if possible.

At the Anglican, Congregational and Advent Churches on Sunday special prayers were offered and reference made to the Titanic disaster, also special anthems and hymns were sung by the choir.

Miss Rita Dutton, of Magog, is in town the guest of her grandmother.

The day school was very pleasantly entertained at a sugaring-off by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doloff on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The teacher, Mrs. Tischel, and eighteen of scholars availed themselves of the opportunity of tasting Mr. Doloff's good sugar which was much appreciated by all and to which ample justice was done. The teacher and smaller children were driven to the sugar camp, through the kindness of Messrs. D. B. Keet and F. H. Rider in furnishing teams. Rev. R. W. Carr also kindly assisted in driving. Many thanks are due Mr. and Mrs. Doloff and all those who were interested in the welfare of the children.

Miss Ella Doloff has a full line of up-to-date spring millinery which she will be pleased to show to her friends and old customers at any time.

The April meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held with Mrs. T. B. Rider. Considerable business was attended to followed by Evangelistic program. Next meeting will be annual on May 8th with Mrs. H. Brevoort. Members are earnestly requested to be present for election of officers and superintendents and with dues that they may be passed to County Treas., at Convention on 28th.

A nice line of Bedroom Furniture, Chiffoniers, Chairs, Baby Carriages, etc., at Suddard's Furniture Store in Dr. Waldron's building, Derby Line, Vt.

#### MASSAWIPPI.

Miss S. Ayer has returned from a two weeks' visit at Mr. H. Ayer's, Brown's Hill.

Mr. McVey, of Montreal Presbyterian College is expected soon to remain for the summer and preach here and at Hillhurst. He has secured board and room in the family of Mr. Elmer McClary, where he will be pleasantly situated.

Mrs. L. Colt is improving somewhat in health we are glad to record.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hunting and children are living in one of Mrs. St. Dizier's "lake camps" going last Saturday, while he is erecting two new cottages on the lake shore at Maplewood.

The many friends here of Mrs. Harry Robinson regret to learn of her departure from North Hatley last week for a hospital in Montreal for an operation. Dr. Edgar accompanied her.

Mrs. Harold Edson of North Hatley, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. Lillian Hitchcock has returned home for a time. She expects to go West in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hard visited at Mr. T. St. Dizier's on Sunday.

A cement tile is being placed across the road opposite the mill, which is a good thing. We welcome anything in the way of repairs to our village street, which is in bad shape this spring by the flooding of water.

Heavy rains of late have about put an end to sugaring, yet another run is predicted soon. Not near as much as usual has been made.

#### CURRIERS.

The roads are in a terrible state.

The bog-road is closed on account of high water, so people from this place have to travel seven miles to get to Magog.

There has not been a great quantity of sugar made here. It has been hard securing sap in good condition on account of so much storm.

Mrs. Mary Bryant is at home, after spending two weeks with Mrs. Manning.

Miss Mina Stone spent last week with her sister.

Master Everett McFarlane, from Magog, visited her sister, Mrs. Bryant, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stone were at East Bolton on Sunday.

Mr. H. C. Bryant was unfortunate in losing a horse last Monday. The animal was at work in the sugar bush and fell over dead.

Rev. L. M. England did not come for the service here Sunday afternoon.

#### GEORGEVILLE.

Miss Mabel Pierce has been quite ill for the past week, but is now convalescent.

Mr. C. C. Copp, of Derby, Vt., was in town for the week-end.

The ice in the lake has not moved yet, but should a strong wind arise owners of boat houses and wharves would feel apprehension for their safety.

Reference was made in both churches on Sunday to the appalling disaster at sea, which has cast a shadow over us as over the rest of the world.

Mr. Alan Routledge and Master Jim Routledge returned to Bishop's College on Saturday.

Miss May Adams spent Sunday at her home in Fitch Bay.

Miss Buth Bly, who has been suffering from an abscess in her ear, is now better. She was treated by Dr. Bowen, of Magog.

Miss Elsie Beach spent last week with Miss Copp in Derby, Vt.

#### MAPLE VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Young spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Orville Wald, at Edgewater Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Park Wilson spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson.

Captain Mosher shot a large hawk Saturday afternoon measuring from tip of wings three feet, one inch.

Little Dorothy Wald has returned home, after spending two weeks with her grandparents.

Sugaring is about done.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Drew and family, Mr. Claude Alger and Miss Bertha Alger spent Sunday with R. O. Flanders.

Mr. Welch and Mrs. Sterling spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Wiley Merrill.

#### HATLEY.

At St. James Church on Sunday morning reference was made by the Rector, Rev. T. G. Devitt, to the terrible disaster of the past week, the sinking of the Titanic. Suitable hymns were also sung by the choir, "Eternal Father, Strong to Love," "On the Resurrection Morning," and the "Dead March in Saul," rendered by the organist, Mrs. (Rev.) Devitt.

Mrs. M. W. LeBaron was called to Sherbrooke on Saturday by the serious illness of her son, Mr. Tom LeBaron, who is in the Protestant hospital suffering from typhoid fever.

Miss Gage, of the Beebe school staff, spent the week-end at her home here.

Big bargains in window shades at Suddard's Furniture Store.

#### VEGETABLES AND FLOWERS.

Special Prizes Offered to Members of Agricultural and Horticultural Societies.

Mr. C. A. Whitehead, Ayer's Cliff, is offering a "Special" in each the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies for the best Collection of Vegetables, \$1.50, \$1.00 and 50 c., and best Bouquet of Flowers, \$1.00, 50c., and 25c., grown from the Ontario Seed Company's Seeds bought from him.

Prizes to be paid in seeds selected for 1913.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Tilton, Stanstead, are giving a "Special" for the Best Collection of Asters, not over 10 varieties, less if exhibitor likes, 3 blooms of each in bottles. Three prizes of \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.00.

JOHN P. BOWEN, COMMITTEE.  
Hatley, April 2nd, 1912.

#### BRESETTE CORNER.

The annual business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Conner on Wednesday, May 1st. All try to come as business of importance is to be transacted.

Mrs. A. Vance was called to Sherbrooke on Tuesday by the serious illness of her sister, Miss J. Putney.

Chas. W. Bennett, of Rock Island, spent the week-end at his home here. Miss Mabel Morrisett is spending a few days in Sherbrooke caring for her aunt, who is ill.

Mr. Leo and Miss Leah Breset were in Sherbrooke on Saturday.

#### GRANITEVILLE.

Miss Mildred Litchfield, of Derby, Vt., was the guest of Misses Gladys and Lorne Salls over Sunday.

Mr. James Brodie made a short visit to his home on Saturday, returning Monday.

Mr. Wm. Croston moved last Saturday from Mr. D. W. Moir's tenement house to Mystic Park into one of Mr. J. O'Leary's cottages, "Mountain View," for the summer.

Mr. Dwight Salls will move into the house vacated by Mr. Croston.

Mrs. Roy Reed remains about the same. Her friends have much anxiety over her serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cowans, of Rock Island, also Miss Teesie Keniston, of Beebe, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keniston. Mr. Gilbert of Rock Island also visited at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beattie, of Beebe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duncan.

The roads are in a dangerous condition for teams.

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#### VERMONT ITEMS.

Nathelen Kibbee, 95 years old, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Willey, of Middlesex, last Thursday night.

Mrs. Hiram Holt, who is living with her granddaughter, Mrs. O. H. Wait, of Woodstock, passed her 99th birthday anniversary April 12. Mrs. Holt is in remarkably good health. She is able to knit and to work about the house easily without the aid of a cane. Mrs. Holt received several callers on her birthday anniversary and was remembered by numerous friends with post card messages of congratulation.

State Fish and Game Commissioner J. W. Tiocomb advises persons who are stocking streams with trout fry during the flood season that if the fry are put directly into the large streams but few of them will survive the rough usage they will receive at this season. He advises that the fry be placed in small tributaries to the streams it is desired to stock. The little fish will find their way to the larger streams when the water lowers.

Elaborate preparations are being made at Goddard Seminary, Barre, for the celebration of the fourth decennial of the school at the time of the 43rd commencement, alumni day June 13. There will be a reunion of as many as possible of all the classes graduated from the school. The alumni are to present the school a tablet in honor of Dr. W. R. Shipman, who was president of the board of trustees from 1875 to 1908. Arthur W. DeGoosh, '89, of Boston, is to be the orator of the day.

At impressive services in the South Congregational church, St. Johnsbury, April 16, Paul Dwight Moody, son of the distinguished evangelist, Dwight L. Moody, was ordained and installed pastor of the church. The services opened with the meeting of the council to dismiss the Rev. Dr. S. G. Barnes, the retiring pastor of the church. The ordination sermon was preached by the Rev. Prof. G. A. Johnston, D. D., of Montreal. Mr. Moody has studied and taught in the Moody schools at Mount Hermon and East Northfield, Mass. He completed his theological studies, being graduated from Yale University and Hartford Seminary and later studying in Scotland. He has done some pastoral work in connection with his teaching in the Moody schools. Before coming to Vermont he was connected with the publishing house of George E. Doran, of New York city. He is 32 years old and has a wife and two children.

#### VERMONT ITEMS.

Mrs. Hannah Fletcher aged about 92 years, one of the oldest respected residents of North Springfield, died April 14 after only a week's illness.

Ex-Gov. and Mrs. George H. Prouty of Newport, have returned from the Bermudas where they have been passing a few weeks.

The Montpelier Young Men's Christian Association has a membership of 410. Of this number 51 are boys. The net indebtedness for the past year is \$402.45.

Barre's city council has taken action to do away with the public drinking cups in shops. In stonehedges and workshops the rule for the use of individual drinking cups is to be enforced.

Ice went out of Lake Champlain Monday night, April 15, with no damage to the breakwater at Burlington, but at Plattsburg the breakwater heaved enough to cause the light-house nearest the shore to tip about fifteen degrees shoreward.

The death of Prof. Walter E. Howard, dean of Middlebury College, and the intended removal of the Rev. Dr. E. A. Bishop from Montpelier to Tennessee will cause two vacancies in the membership of the state board of education.

H. S. Howard, of Burlington, state secretary of the Red Cross, states that a total of \$549.26 has been received from the sale of Christmas seals. Of this amount \$473.32 is retained for prevention of tuberculosis in Vermont and \$75.94 is sent to the national society.

Work has begun toward rebuilding the recently burned section of Belows Falls. The Hotel Windham will be rebuilt on the same lines as the old.

Mrs. Alfred Mason died Monday night, April 15, at her home in Cavendish. She was the oldest woman in town, 95 years old, and the second oldest person.

A reunion of the Carleton family was held April 14 at Barre at the home of H. P. Willey, in honor of Charles H. Carleton, better known on the stage as Richard Carle. His father, brother, wife, an uncle and aunt of Barre, as well as numerous other relatives were present.

The National Life Insurance Co. of Montpelier, carried policies to the amount of about \$75,000 on persons of the same names as some of those lost on the Titanic, but as the names are common ones, it will be some time before the exact loss to the company can be ascertained.

#### VERMONT ITEMS.

The lives of Martin McMahon and Michael Hogan, of Rutland, who were buried Monday, were strangely coincidental. Both were born in the same town in County Tipperary, Ireland, grew up as companions, and came to America on the same ship, both locating in Rutland. McMahon was ill three days of pneumonia, Hogan several weeks, but both died Saturday morning.

Mrs. Sally Robie Wilson, of Corinth, who April 4 observed her 100th birthday anniversary, is the head of five generations, her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Jane Wilson Hastings, born December 1852; Mrs. Mary Hastings (Raymond) Ladd, borne June 16, 1872; Mrs. Jennie Raymond Lee, born February 29, 1888; and Raymond Harry Lee, born June 20, 1911.

For some years it has been the custom for Col. Thomas O. Seaver, of Woodstock, Col. S. F. Pingree, of Hartford, and Capt. Horace French, of Lebanon, N. H., to dine together April 16, the anniversary of the battle of Lee's Mills in McClellan's peninsula campaign of 1862. These veteran officers were members of the Third Vermont regiment, a company of which was formed in the town of Hartford. This year Colonel Pingree entertained at the Junction house in White River Junction.

Luther D. Beckley, a former Barre boy, has just been elected village engineer for Highland Park, a suburb of Detroit, at a salary of \$2,400 a year. He was graduated from the University of Vermont in 1902.

A lot of strange things float into the customs house as the result of seizures by the revenue officers, but something novel will be afforded for sale May 1 at Burlington, a miscellaneous array of hair switches which are guaranteed to match any capillary adornment existing. The goods were seized some time ago at Alburg.

As a result of the action of the Carpenter's Union a strike involving 75 union carpenters in Rutland may be declared May 1. That action consisted of the endorsement of the eight hour day, and the \$3 a day minimum wage, and of a resolution to try to enforce these conditions on the contractors.

Fred A. Young, of Rutland, has obtained a patent on an improvement in a turf cutter. The machine resembles a plow and has a large metal disk in front which slides through the ground instead of revolving as a wheel. A slotted lug allows the disk to be shifted so that a new edge comes in contact with the ground as soon as one becomes dull.

#### VERMONT ITEMS.

Robert T. Lincoln, of Chicago, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Beckwith and two children, have returned to Manchester from Washington, D. C., after having passed the winter in that city. Mrs. Lincoln was in Manchester about two weeks ago.

The body of Urban Bellrose, of Lowell, the eight-year-old boy who was drowned Easter day while crossing the Missisquoi river on foot bridge, was found Saturday afternoon in J. H. Sillsby & Co.'s mill pond, which is about 50 feet below the dam that he went over Sunday.

#### New Dormitory at Vergennes.

The new dormitory for the girls at the state industrial school in Vergennes is nearly completed and will be ready for occupancy in a few weeks. The building is a substantial brick structure, the main part being 87x25 feet with an ell part 25 x25 feet and will accommodate 30 girls. The building has been constructed along modern and improved sanitary lines and will be a fine addition to the state property. There is a large cement basement and on the first floor is a reception room and parlor, dining room, 30x22, kitchen, etc. On the upper floor each girl will have a small sleeping room to herself, and when the building is completed it will be an important step in the work of segregation of inmates, which Superintendent Bars hopes to carry out more fully in the future. The building will be heated from the big boilers in the main building, by means of underground pipes run through a tunnel the same as the other buildings. The employees of the school assisted by the boys performed a greater part of the work on the building, including all of the plumbing and cement work.

Among the children who arrived recently at the Knowlton Home, from Liverpool, are the following little ones for whom homes are required: Margaret aged 6, grey eyes, fair complexion, gentle; Lily B., 6, blue eyes, dark, intelligent, recites and sings; Ruth 7, brown eyes wears glasses; Mollie 7, blue eyes, brown hair, affectionate; Annie 8, brown eyes, auburn hair; Doris 8, brown eyes, sings and recites well; Constance 9, brown eyes, affectionate—a home in Stanstead desired for this child; Sarah 9, grey eyes, fair hair, lovable; Ada 11, blue eyes, fair hair, bright; Eliza 14, blue eyes, fair hair, good worker. Homes near together for these last three sisters are sought. Applications to be sent to Mrs. Birt, Distributing Home, Knowlton.

#### BRIEF NEWS ITEMS

The chief cause for grief in connection with the Titanic disaster is the reported acts of the manager of the White Star line.

The Allan, Canadian Pacific and Booth steamship companies have announced that they will equip all their steamships at once with sufficient lifeboats for the maximum number of passengers and crew that can be carried.

An ice jam caused Chaudiere river to overflow with an estimated damage of a quarter of a million dollars in the region of Beauce. The maple sugar crop, it is believed, will be ruined. The federal and provisional authorities will be asked to aid the flood sufferers.

Two masked robbers took \$14,000 in currency from the depot office of the Globe Express Co., Grand Junction, Colorado. A posse is pursuing men. The money was consigned to the Somerset Mining Co. Somerset, Colo., for the mining company's monthly payroll.

Members of Parliament and others in official life, together with thousands of private citizens, appeared with primroses in their buttonholes Thursday in observance of Primrose day, otherwise of the anniversary of the death of Lord Beaconsfield. In accordance with its annual custom the Primrose League placed handsome floral decorations on the grave of the famous statesman in Hughendon cemetery and also about the base of the Beaconsfield monument in Parliament square.

There is a growing impression that the Titanic was offered up as a sacrifice on the altar of the God of Speed. In the disaster there is the hint of a lesson that perhaps the world is hastening altogether too much to extremes; there is more than the hint that the world is living too fast. Both on land and sea the speed mania is claiming countless victims. The reaction, if it comes, will make for greater safety, and greater safety means greater enjoyment of life.

Elaborate arrangements have been concluded for the celebration of the 225th anniversary of the Huguenot church of Charleston, S. C. The celebration was April 14 formally opened with an oration by Dr. W. H. S. Demarest, president of Rutgers College. The Huguenot church is one of the oldest churches in America and was the first to be founded in the province of Carolina. The building itself has been twice destroyed by fire, the present edifice having been completed in 1845.

#### BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

A Board of Trade statement, issued, shows that 31,058 emigrants left Ireland during the year 1911. Of this number 22,010 went to the United States and 5,478 to Canada.

The present year will see 200,000 people from the United States cross the boundary into western Canada, according to J. S. Dennis, assistant to the C. P. R. president. His estimate was to a large extent endorsed by the conventions of American agents recently held at Chicago and Portland, Ore.

Fifty thousand dry measures used by retail grocers and provision dealers throughout Massachusetts were thrown into the discard Friday as a result of the new state law coming into operation which requires that all the vegetables, nuts and fruit must either be sold at retail by weight or numerical count. The law further stipulates the number of pounds to the bushel of the various commodities, ranging from beans to peanuts. The state weights and measures department is arranging for a strict enforcement of the law.

#### Plan 54,000-Ton Liner.

A contract for building a 54,000-ton trans-Atlantic liner, which means a ship that will be 4,000 tons larger than the Hamburg-American liner Imperator now in process of construction and nearly 8,000 tons bigger than the Olympic and the Titanic, has been let by the North German Lloyd line, and it is stated that the letting of this contract is probably the forerunner of several other similar contracts, which will mean that by 1915 the great German company will own a fleet of these giant liners.

The exact tonnage of the new liner which has been designed to be the speediest of its type afloat, is not given, but it is stated that her tonnage will be about twice that of the George Washington. The George Washington is a 27,000-ton vessel. The name of the new liner is also not announced, but the understanding is that one of the great names in American history will be chosen.

#### MR. ST. PIERRE RETIRES.

A letter received to-day brings the regretful news that G. H. St. Pierre, K. C., candidate for Provincial honors, is unable to continue the fight, owing to ill health. A meeting for the choice of delegates in this village to nominate his successor is hereby called for Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at the Town Hall, Stanstead.

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**Correspondents**

who can do so would materially assist us by sending as much of their copy as possible by Monday evening's post. Reports of later events may then be sent in by mail as late as Wednesday evening, or by phone on Thursday forenoon when necessary.

It is frequently difficult for us to find work for our compositors Monday and Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday they are always submerged with copy.

THE PUBLISHER.

**MR. BISSONNET AGAIN CHOSEN.**

Delegates from all parts of Stanstead County favorably to the present Provincial Government met at Ayer's Cliff, Tuesday, to choose a candidate for the forthcoming election. Dr. E. P. Ball, vice-president of the Stanstead County Liberal Association, presided in the absence of the president, Mr. B. H. Rider, who is traveling in the South. Only one name, that of Mr. P. A. Bissonnet, the former member, was mentioned in connection with the candidacy, the choice being unanimously made without the usual adjournment of delegates to the upper chamber. The candidate then addressed the assembly telling something of the work of the government along the lines of aid to improved road making, colonization, agriculture, increased school grants, etc. Among the others who spoke were: Dr. S. B. Frazer, Dr. E. P. Ball, Col. A. C. Hanson, C. H. Lovell, M. P., and Mr. J. F. Telford. The meeting was largely attended and enthusiastic. The delegates from Rock Island were: Dr. E. P. Ball, J. A. Telford, E. F. Millet and A. J. Bissonnet.

**A Valuable Recipe for Preserving Eggs.**

Procure dry coarse salt; place an inch layer of this in an empty, clean box, tub or vessel; in this, place freshly laid eggs, small end down, not allowing them to touch each other nor the sides of the holder. Cover the layer of eggs with more salt to an inch or more over their ends and repeat the process indefinitely. The eggs should not be over two days old when laid down. The salt must not be allowed to get damp. The whole should be kept in a cool dry place. Do this exactly as I have stated and farmers wives can keep their stock of hens eggs till the market price rises to the figure they wish to sell at.

**CONSUMER.**

**GRIFFIN.**

Mr. Harrison F. House was a guest at the home of Messrs. Stone and Embury Thursday April 18th. Mr. House is in his usual good spirits and enjoying the best of health.

Church of England service as usual in the Union church Sunday April 23, at 3 p. m., Rev. C. R. Eardley-Wilmot, M. A., Rector. All are welcome.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We wish to thank Mr. E. H. Cosby, Mr. George Sauvé, Mr. C. O. Cordeau, Mr. J. H. Gauthier, Miss Blanche Audet, Miss Margaret Labonte, Miss E. Dupuis, Miss Lilly Moreau and Mr. Edward Garceau and Hovey's Orchestra for their loyal assistance in presenting the play, "The Doctor," Tuesday Evening.

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ALL DRUGGISTS 11-22

**THE "TITANIC" MEMORIAL.**

The gathering at the Haskell Opera House Sunday evening as a memorial to and for the sufferers in the Titanic disaster, was a high compliment to the community; all race, caste, social and sectarian lines were obliterated for the time being by the noble desire to express by their presence and quiet sincere manner, sympathy for those who suffered and are suffering, and appreciation of the wonderful expressions of courage and Christian manhood.

The auditorium was full. It was one of the largest audiences ever seen in the Opera House. Principal Trueman of the College presided. There were several citizens seated on the platform with Mr. Trueman: Reverends W. S. Jamieson, F. H. Cole and H. F. Hallett, Prof. Perry S. Dobson, Prof. J. D. McFadyen, Mayor F. W. D. Melloon, Acting Mayor O. M. Carpenter, Editor John C. Holland, Mr. James F. Telford, Col. B. B. Morrill, Dr. R. O. Ross, Mr. Edward Audinwood, Mr. Chas. E. Bennett, W. C. Hopkins.

As the audience gathered Mr. and Mrs. Wright H. Hovey played Handel's Largo most effectively, violin and piano, it serving as a prelude. Prof. Dobson made the opening prayer, a strong, sympathetic appeal, the pleader seeming to fully understand the needs of the hour, and one could but feel that every heart was with him in his prayer. "Abide with Me" was sung by the audience, fully 400 voices joining.

The speakers of the evening were: Mr. James F. Telford, Reverends H. F. Hallett, W. S. Jamieson and F. H. Cole, Mr. Dobson closing the addresses most effectively. The trend of the addresses was towards the withholding of criticism and the acceptance of the disaster as the price we must pay to learn the facts of the omnipotence, omnipresence and omniscience of our God.

Miss Pierce sang "Crossing the Bar" most beautifully, making its story so definite to all, the occasion gave it a new meaning.

Miss Mildred Corning read: "He Giveth His Beloved Sleep." What could be more appropriate? The interpretation pleased everybody, it was fine.

The singing of that grand sea hymn, "The Sailor," by the audience was made, by the fact that our villages have many friends just returning from abroad, a most effective feature of the evening's service; it gave all the power to clothe it with its fullest and richest meaning. In the singing of the hymns everybody seemed to forget themselves and made it an opportunity for real praise. At the close when the hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee" was sung, all seemed to realize that it was the last notes of the band on the Titanic and the last words of the 1600 or more who went down with the vessel. It was an unusual scene, possibly one of a lifetime, and as we looked into the faces of the audience, all were serious and kind and could not go from the gathering and its influences without being better men and women, and better boys and girls.

We get our greatest uplift when we stand together for the common good, irrespective of creed or race, and we were led to think of the possibilities for good resting with us as a community if we always "pulled together" in all things as in life's shadows. Do we forget when "all is smooth sailing"?

**Gray Leaved Plants.**

Next to green, gray is the restfullest and more satisfactory color to be had in foliage. We now have so many tardy plants with gray foliage that we can choose one for each month of bloom and color of flower.

Among them are the silvery milfoil, goldust, the white and purple rock-rose, the woolly leaved chickweed, many hardy pinks, Siebold's day lily, Fischer's horned poppy, lavender cotton, woundwort and woolly thyme. Some of these are decidedly silvery. Others incline to a blue cast which is most pronounced in the globethetics and sea-hollies. Such colors are so unusual in nature that it is easy to overdo them in gardens.—Country Life in America.

**Bank of Japan.**

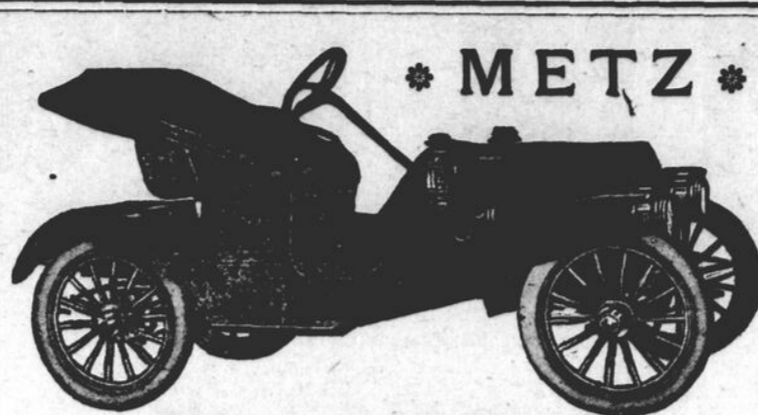
Japan, the country that is not bound by traditions in her search for the best manner of doing things, has tried our national bank plan, and finding it not at all satisfactory, has adopted the European plan of the central bank. The Bank of Japan is capitalized at \$15,000,000. Its circulation at present is more than \$170,000,000, and its deposits exceed \$200,000,000. It issues all the notes of the country and thus controls the currency situation. Besides the Bank of Japan there are other semi-official banks filling various specific functions for the government.

**Town's Herring Brook.**

Brewster, Mass., owns a herring brook, and at the town meeting every year, following an old custom a committee is elected by ballot to catch the fish and dispose of them. The proceeds are turned into the town treasury.

**Maine Coast Pastime.**

A monster whale from Passamaquoddy Bay started up the St. Croix River. Pleasant Point Indians got after the Leviathan and killed it with spears and axes. It measured fifty-five feet.—Kennebec Journal.



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New waists with the peplums \$1.25 and up.

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Handsome pongee silk dresses, with wine colored satin collar, tie and piping, priced at only \$5.00. Striped Messeline Dresses made with plain satin sailor collars very pretty and dainty, only \$10.95.

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Collars and cuff Sets 25 and 50 cents. Chemisettes with sleeves to match 50 cents and \$1.00. Dutch Collars and Stocks 25 cents. Wired Bow Hair Ribbon, 5 inches wide, all shades 29 cents a yard.

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Handloom Silks, all colors, 25 cents a yard. New White Serges 59 cents and \$1.00 a yard. Black and White Stripe Serges 50 cents and \$1.00 a yard. New Cotton Corduroy, 27 inches wide, 25 and 39 cents a yard. New Bordered Batiste, 40 inches wide 25 cents a yard. New Bordered Marquettes, 40 inches wide, 50 cents a yard. New Muslins, 27 inches wide, 12 1/2 and 15 cents a yard. Cotton Foulards, 27 inches wide, 15 cents a yard. Pretty Flaxons, checks and stripes, 25 cents a yard. Linens, all shades, 36 inches wide, 50 cents a yard. Poplins, all shades, 27 inches wide, 25 cents a yard. Mercerized Plisses, white and colors, 17 cents a yard.

**BARGAINS FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 1ST.**

Valenciennes and Maltese Lace, regularly 12 1/2 to 20 cents, all at 9 cents a yard. Torchon Lace, regularly 10 to 15 cents, all at 5 cents a yard. Children's Summer Weight Wool Union Suits, sizes 2 to 9 years, \$1.00 values for 39 cents. Children's Lisle Union Suits, sizes 2 to 9 years, 75 cent values for 39 cents.

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We will make a specialty of Ladies' shoes in Suedes, Satins and White Bucks. To those who prefer to have us call for shoes, by 'phoning us, our boy will call for shoes and return the same day.

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**FOR SALE.**  
Young pigs. BUTTERFIELD & CO. 1754

**ESTRAY.**  
Young collie dog. Inquire at W. M. Pike & Son's store, Rock Island. 1754

**Cow For Sale.**  
Holstein, 5 years old, recently freshened, and an exceptionally good one. H. N. DAVIS, 5272 Rock Island.

**Stitchers Wanted.**  
Two sewing machine operators to handle sheep-lined coats. Piece work; \$9 to \$14 a week. TELFORD & CHAPMAN MFG. CO., 5414 Rock Island, Que.

**Laborers Wanted.**  
Stanstead Granite Quarries Co. BEEBE.

**FOR SALE.**  
2 Piano Box Buggies, 1 nearly new, the other in good condition; 1 six h. p. Olds Gasoline Engine, nearly new, in first-class condition. Prices reasonable; terms easy. WALTER H. COERLIS, with Rock Island Mfg. Co. 5414

**WANTED FOR HATLEY SQUADRON**  
26th Regiment, Stanstead Cavalry

Young men with horses, for the Annual Camp, June 10th to 26th, 16 days; increase in pay with efficiency pay. Just the sort of holiday young men enjoy and every young man should have. Do you good, physically, mentally, and financially. Splendid cook. See the special prizes at the armory, Hatley. Hunt up your chum and stand shoulder to shoulder with us this year. We enlist no bums, loafers or booze fighters. Apply at Headquarters, Hatley, Que.

**AYER'S CLIFF.**  
At the Sunday morning service reference was made to the terrible disaster of the wreck of the S. S. Titanic, Rev. C. Moore taking as a text Acts 27-44.

The "Aid" met on Tuesday with Mrs. A. P. Dustin, a good number present. Next meeting May 7th with Mrs. Buck, who wishes the ladies to lay aside their "house cleaning" for that afternoon and all attend as she will prepare and hope for a large number.

A political meeting was held at the County hall on Tuesday afternoon with Messrs. Lovell, Bissonnet and Hanson as speakers. The gathering was large and orderly.

Mr. G. A. Sutton is moving his family to North-Hatley, where he is engaged in a barber business.

Mr. A. G. Clough was in Montreal on business recently.

Mrs. H. N. Wheeler received news this week of the illness of her son, Mr. H. S. B. Wheeler, of Saskatoon, who is in a hospital with small pox.

Mrs. A. P. Dustin is quite ill at this writing.

Mr. A. E. Fish is having his house wired for electric lighting. Several others are going to have lights installed very soon.

Mr. E. H. Webster and family have returned from spending the winter in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Colby had a very enjoyable meeting of the Guild last Thursday with a large attendance and a good program of music by the new orchestra.

Miss Lillian Drew returned to her position at A. E. Hurd's store on Monday, after a week's absence.

Meedames E. E. Bangs, W. E. Hurd, M. Rexford and the Misses Cunningham and Paul were in Newport on Saturday.

Mr. F. J. Robinson is in very poor health, but it is hoped the warm spring weather will bring an improvement.

Mrs. Caldwell Davenport has just learned of the death of her mother. The sad event occurred on the 5th of April in Aberdeen, Scotland. Much sympathy will be felt for her father, the esteemed minister of the High United Free Church, Aberdeen, Scotland. "Sleep on Beloved and take thy rest."

How to win a piano is told in W. B. LeBaron's ad on the second page of this paper.

**BEEBE.**

Friday evening, April 19th, the doors of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wheeler's house were thrown open to a large company of people, who came there to greet Bro. F. W. S. Walden, it being his birthday. After some time spent socially with music for entertainment, Mr. John Leslie, in behalf of the company, presented Bro. Walden with a nice sum of money. Mr. James Dustin then asked if that was all, when Mr. Edwin Foss came forward with a nice gold watch, which was given by Chas. E. Day of Lyndonville, Vt. Bro. Walden, in his pleasant manner, heartily thanked the donors for the gifts and the presence of the people, also Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler for their kindness in entertaining the company. Cake and coffee was served, after which all took a lesson in telephoning, which caused much laughter. At the close of the evening God be with You till we Meet Again was sung, all bidding Bro. Walden good-by and the best of good wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Frost are at home, after spending the winter in California with his relatives.

Advent Church, Sunday, April 28th, morning service 10.45, subject: "A Ramble after Truth." Evening service at 7 o'clock, subject: "Mind Your own Business." In the evening there will be special vocal selections by Master James and Miss Minnie Johnson.

**WAY'S MILLS.**  
Mrs. E. Humphrey is spending a week in Capelton.

Mr. Henry Farrar has gone to Rock Island, where he has employment in the Butterfield shop. Mrs. Farrar is staying with her parents until the roads become settled, then they will move.

Mr. D. Anis has rented a part of Mrs. O. Sprague's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dustin spent Sunday at J. Needham's, North Barnston.

Mrs. Oscar Oliver received a postal card shower on Saturday, the occasion being her birthday.

Sugaring was a failure this year as it seems to be time to gather buckets now, after only two weeks of rainy sugar weather.

**\$100 Reward, \$100.**  
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
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No two suits exactly the same shade and pattern. Every man you meet will not be wearing a suit just like the one you have on—They are all distinctively different, and the Fabrics are beautiful in texture, pattern and coloring this season—For style and fit our clothes are in advance of the "Tailor Made" so called. See us for your this season's clothes.

We claim nothing unusual in any feature of our business. We buy as we need for cash, we do not pay out a dollar for clerk hire, you trade with a proprietor when you visit our store, and we make it our business to give you just what you buy, and we are here six days of the week to courteously and fairly serve you.

**GILMORE BROTHERS,** - Derby Line, Vt.

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During the month of April.

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Children's White Dresses, sizes 1 to 6 years, 50c. to \$2.00  
Ice Cream Saturday.

**FARMS AND VILLAGE PROPERTIES**

In connection with my other business I am establishing a Real Estate Agency, and have already listed a number of properties, including the following:

The Alonzo Pope Farm, near Kingscroft  
The Horace B. Canfield Farm, near Stanstead  
The Louis C. Bodette House, with two acres of land attached, located on Main Street, Stanstead Plain  
16 acres of Very Fertile Land, suitable for farming purposes or building lots—known as the Wm. Jondro or J. B. Goodhue property—located in the heart of the Village of Derby Line, west of Gen. F. G. Butterfield's residence and south of the residences of Col. C. E. Nelson James F. Telford, etc.  
20 Building Lots, in various parts of the "Three Villages, at prices ranging from \$100.00 to \$1,000.00.  
Full Particulars will be given in the next issue of the "Journal." For prices and terms of payment apply to the undersigned,  
**A. LEE HOLMES**  
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We have secured the agency for the Maxwell Automobiles. For those who want to pay more for a car than is asked for the Ford—the best and most popular low-priced car on the market, we can recommend the Maxwell, the car which won out in the Glidden Endurance Tour—New York to Jacksonville, Fla., last season. Get prices and specifications.

No matter what class car you want we can supply you.

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AGATE INTERIOR PAINT  
You will find this a good paint for inside work  
20 different shades, \$1.50 per gal.  
PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR 75 cts.  
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CROCKET'S PRESERVATIVE  
Is one of the best hard wood floor finishes on the market.  
We also have Liquid Granite Old English and Butcher's Floor Wax.  
SHELLAC  
Best quality of White and Orange Shellac, only 50c. per qt.  
GYPSINE  
The best finish for ceilings. White and 10 different tints.  
PAINT BRUSHES  
Anything from a 5c. varnish to a fine kalsomine brush.  
Leader in this line, a fine varnish brush 1½ in. wide 13c.

**FOR SALE.**  
4 two-year-old steers. C. P. DAVIS, Stanstead. 55w2

**STITCHERS WANTED.**  
Experienced stitchers wanted at once. ROCK ISLAND OVERALL CO. 551f

**EGGS FOR SETTING**  
Raise Winter Layers from Pure-bred Stock.  
We have them from the best pens in the United States and Canada, both R. I. Reds and Columbian Wyandottes. \$1.00 for setting of 15 eggs. LAKE VIEW POULTRY FARM, D. A. Bullock, Georgeville, Que. 471f

**MAN WANTED.**  
WANTED to hire sober, reliable man for the summer. A. R. TAYLOR, Ayer's Cliff. 552f

**BROWN BIRD.**  
Will be at owner's stable until May 1st, and then in New Hampshire until October 1st. HENRY ALLARD, 55w2

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## QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY

### TIME TABLE

In Effect October 2nd, 1911.

**LEAVING SHEBROOKE.**  
BOSTON & NEW YORK EXPRESS—Leave Sheb-  
rooke 7:30 a. m. daily, arrive Levis 1:00 p. m.,  
Quebec 1:45 p. m. Dining car Sheb-  
rooke to Levis daily except Sunday. Pullman  
buffet sleeping car New York to Levis leav-  
ing Sheb-  
rooke daily. The Boston Pullman  
sleeping car makes connection at Sheb-  
rooke with the New York Pullman for Levis.  
PASSENGER—Leave Sheb-  
rooke 4:00 p. m. daily  
except Sunday, arrive Levis 9:10 p. m., Que-  
bec 9:15 p. m. Dining Car Sheb-  
rooke to  
Black Lake.  
ACCOMMODATION—Leave Sheb-  
rooke 7:00 p. m.,  
daily except Sunday, arrive Valley Jct  
3:30 a. m.  
**ARRIVING SHEBROOKE.**  
BOSTON & NEW YORK EXPRESS—Leave Quebec  
3:00 p. m. daily, Levis 4:30 p. m., arrive Sheb-  
rooke 9:00 p. m. Dining car Black Lake to  
Sheb-  
rooke daily except Sunday. Pullman  
buffet sleeping car Levis to New York daily  
connecting at Sheb-  
rooke with Pullman  
sleeping car for Boston.  
PASSENGER—Leave Quebec 7:30 a. m. daily ex-  
cept Sunday, Levis 8:00 a. m., arrive Sheb-  
rooke 1:15 p. m. Dining car Robertson to  
Sheb-  
rooke.  
ACCOMMODATION—Leave Valley Jct. 8:00 p. m.,  
daily except Sunday, arrive Sheb-  
rooke 3:50  
a. m.  
Also connecting trains on the Megantic and  
Chaudiere Valley Divisions.  
J. H. WALSH, E. O. GRUNDY,  
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### FOR SALE.

Four choice building lots at Rock Island.  
Finest location in town.  
C. W. STEVENS,  
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### Eggs For Hatching.

Having purchased from Mr. J. B. Goodhue  
his entire lot of Rhode Island Reds, I am pre-  
pared to supply eggs for hatching this breed  
at \$1.00 for setting of fifteen.  
E. A. TILTON,  
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THREE HOUSES, rented for good big money  
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\$10,000. If farm proposition is attractive, might  
put a few hundred dollars into it. Inquire at  
JOURNAL Office, Rock Island. 50w5

### BUSINESS CHANCE

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land, abundant never-failing spring water. A  
money-making proposition. Investigate.  
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25w3

### WANTED.

Two or three stitchers.  
PERKLESS OYERALL CO.  
Rock Island, Que.

### Calf Skins Wanted.

The under signed will pay from \$1.00 to \$1.50  
for calf skins taken off the regular way, with  
out cuts or tears and well cured, not rolled up,  
the better care the better price. Calls will be  
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## FARM & GARDEN

### NEW USE FOR OLD WHEEL.

Wide Farm Gate is Easily Moved by  
Its Aid.

If a wide farm gate is wanted, one  
that will open and close readily, and  
that without much outlay, you can  
have it if you are lucky enough to  
own an old wheel. The picture shows



A Gate Easy to Handle.

how it is done. A gate is built, long  
enough to go between the posts set,  
and a solid post sawed off at one side  
two feet above the ground. The mid-  
dle rib of the gate is left long enough  
to rest on this low post. It must be  
thick to take a pin or an iron bolt  
that is driven into the post. At the  
other end, explains Farm and Home,  
it is worked down to act as an axle  
for the wheel which carries the end  
of the gate around with the exertion  
on the part of the operator.

### Uniform Berry Packages.

One of the striking facts of the  
berry season every year is the aston-  
ishing variety of fruit packages which  
the consumer finds in the market.  
Boxes and baskets of both wood and  
paper, square, flat, oblong or flaring,  
some quart boxes short, and some  
shorter, combine to make a medley  
which is confusing to the buyer. It  
is also a puzzle to the grower, and a  
cause of positive loss, when he  
changes his style of package. Really  
the grower need not do this if he  
makes proper preparations, but some-  
times he is forced to when in  
sudden need he is unable to find his  
preferred style and, therefore, must  
take whatever the dealer has to offer.

### Often in small shipping towns,

where there are only perhaps half a  
dozen growers, there will be found as  
many styles of packages as there  
are men. This can be nothing but  
detrimental to the business, because it  
prevents the interchange of boxes and  
crates which might often be of great  
advantage. Such unnecessary diver-  
sity can be prevented by co-operative  
buying. In many places this system  
is now in practice.

Cost is saved by bulking together  
orders for packages, and uniformity  
of packers also improves market con-  
ditions. If all the growers of even a  
small neighborhood were so well  
organized that their supplies could  
be bought through one agency, in 2  
course of only a few years it would  
be an advantage of great value.

### Keep the Farm at Work.

The farm's waste and neglected cor-  
ners should be turned into woodlots  
where the farmer may grow his own  
posts, poles, fences and sawlogs. It  
is decidedly worth while to keep all  
of the farm at work. The owner pays  
taxes on all his land, and is out of  
pocket for whatever is not earning  
him something. Further, by growing  
a tree crop on land that is too poor  
to plow, the quality of the land itself  
is improved. Forests add humus to  
the soil, bettering its character.

### Ground for Strawberries.

How hard should the ground  
freeze before covering up the straw-  
berry vines? Well, if it will hold a  
wagon up when driven over it you  
may conclude that it is time to put  
on the mulch. Don't put on too much  
at first, however. Increase the amount  
of covering as the weather increases  
in severity.

### Cleaning and Grading Seeds.

With the excellent machines for  
cleaning and grading now to be had  
this desirable object can be secured  
with the seeds of the various kinds  
of grains, thus obtaining a much  
more uniform quality of the seed  
and in the crops grown therefrom.  
This should receive due attention.

### Keeping Potatoes.

Many market gardeners find it  
profitable to include potatoes in their  
list of crops, and it is important to  
keep the seed tubers in a perfectly  
dormant condition. Cellars with fur-  
naces are unsuitable for storing seed  
potatoes. The room should be cool,  
dry, well ventilated and frostproof.

### Cheap Farm Paint.

A cheap farm paint can be made  
from one gallon of skim milk, three  
pounds Portland cement, dry paint  
powder to give desired shade. This  
compound must be kept well stirred,  
as the cement settles. Stir up not  
more than one day's supply at a time.

### Feed the Cat.

A sup of milk for the cats will  
keep them tied to the dairy barn and  
make them good partners in keeping  
the place free from rats and mice.  
Remember that many a farmer loses  
a tidy sum in providing board for the  
rodents.

Keep tab on the markets and  
watch your chance to sell your crops  
at the best price.

Oats make an ideal food for the  
brood sow. It will pay to keep her  
well fed up.

## BOGUS DETECTIVES

Tricks and Daring Dodges of Wily  
Impostors to Extort Money from  
Unsuspecting Men and  
Women.

It was a well-known magistrate  
who, a short time ago, described the  
offence of two men who, by imper-  
sonating detective officers, had ob-  
tained \$50 from a woman under the  
pretext of abducting her husband from  
the consequences of a robbery which  
they said he had committed, as one  
of the "worst forms of blackmailing";  
and from inquiries which the writer  
has made there does not seem to be  
much doubt in official circles that  
quite a large number of men are  
going about posing as detectives and  
obtaining money by such pretences.

They go to work in much the same  
way as the ordinary blackmailer.  
That is to say, they get to know  
something detrimental to the char-  
acter of a man or woman, and then  
endeavour to come to terms with their  
victims by promising to withhold their  
warrant for arrest and "squaring" the  
matter. In the majority of cases it  
is generally ignorant people, who do  
not stop to ask the "detective" to  
produce the warrant, or who forget  
that a detective, by so acting, renders  
himself liable to the severest punish-  
ment, who are the usual victims, al-  
though at times these bogus detectives  
fly to higher game.

### Posing as Police Officers.

Last year, for instance, the case  
came to light of a wealthy manu-  
facturer, whose son had led a wild  
life while in London and forged a  
cheque for \$250, paying a man whom  
he believed to be from Scotland Yard,  
and who made out that he held a  
warrant for the son's arrest, \$2000  
to report that the boy had fled the coun-  
try. The "detective" called on the  
father, said that he understood the  
son was hiding in the neighbour-  
hood, and that he would like the  
father's help to execute the warrant.  
Not doubting the man's word, the  
father, to hush up the matter, sug-  
gested that he should pay the de-  
tective a price to go back to London  
and state that he had failed to find  
the culprit. Two thousand dollars  
was the price agreed upon and it was  
not until the father had an official  
visit from Scotland Yard in regard to  
the matter that he learned how he  
had been victimized.

Quite recently a couple of men  
were heavily fined for representing  
themselves as police officers and  
threatening another man with arrest  
on account of a cheque which they  
said had been dishonoured because of  
the false signature; while a particu-  
larly mean trick was played upon  
a widow some months ago when a  
man called and said that he held a  
warrant for the arrest of her son,  
who was a sailor, for taking part in  
an alleged robbery of goods from the  
dockyard. The mother was frighten-  
ed, and, knowing that her son was  
to sail in a few hours, parted with  
\$75 to induce the "detective" to hold  
up the warrant until he had sailed.  
The "detective" knew that the son  
would not return home again before  
he sailed, and relied on this fact to  
extort money from the widow, who  
found out the trick when she read  
of the man being sentenced to im-  
prisonment for trying a similar dodge  
in another part of the town.

### The Worst Feature.

Perhaps the worst feature of this  
bogus detective business has recently  
been exposed in the English law  
courts. Cases are known of men who  
set up as private inquiry agents who  
have no qualifications for such work,  
and who simply announce themselves  
as such in order to acquire knowledge  
from those who seek their services,  
afterwards using this knowledge to  
extort money from their victims.

A couple of months ago, for in-  
stance, a lady who wished to relieve  
herself of the attentions of a black-  
mailer who had learned a secret of  
her past life and was continually wor-  
rying her for money, rashly confided  
her troubles to one of these bogus  
detectives, whose advertisement she  
had seen in a certain paper. He had  
no sooner learned all the circum-  
stances of the case than he, too, after  
finding that she would pay no more  
money until he had achieved some  
result, turned round and demanded a  
large sum for keeping his mouth shut  
regarding the secret she had con-  
fided to him. Luckily, she had the  
courage to go to the police about the  
matter, with the result that the  
scoundrel quickly fled the country.

### Sounds of the Saw

"O! can see red rowers bloomin'!"  
sang the street vocalist, and he was  
about to broach the second epasm  
when a carpenter's apprentice beck-  
oned him to his side.

"I'll give you tuppence," he  
declared, "if you'll stay in this shed  
and sing till I come back. I'm dying  
for a drink of milk." And the song-  
ster assented.

Soon the apprentice reappeared,  
and paid over the twopenny.

"I s'pose," said the vocalist, "that  
my voice is about the same as yours,  
an' you thought your boss wouldn't  
know the difference—eh?"

The other looked at him indignantly,  
and then replied:—  
"Your voice the same as mine! If  
you want to know, it's the same as  
my saw's, and I wanted the gov'nor  
to think I was working hard on these  
planks."

### The Wrong Bit.

An Irish Jarvie was driving an  
English tourist round Dublin, and on  
stopping for refreshment the tourist  
remarked to Pat how lean his horse  
was. Going up to the horse's head,  
the tourist examined its mouth, and,  
turning round with the air of a man  
who knew something, he said:—  
"I am afraid that the want of flesh  
in your horse is due to the large bit  
you have in its mouth."

Pat looked at him sorrowfully as  
he replied:—  
"Shure, yer honour, I won't argue  
wid ye, but I'm after thinking it's the  
small bit that he has in his stomach  
that's a-troublin' the poor beast!"

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regular customers the benefit of this advantage. We have recently made  
changes in our means of displaying our shelf hardware that enables us to  
keep a closer tab on its needs. Here are some of this stock: Nails, Barbed  
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mont side. The two Avenues are connected by a new  
street, named Ball Street, running North and South.  
The location of this property is about ideal for residen-  
tial purposes, being very accessible from either of the  
Villages, and it has lots located on either side of the  
Boundary Line, and two, numbers 11 and 12 are bisected  
by the line. The price is very reasonable for this kind of  
property and it will doubtless sell readily because of  
its desirability.

**HENRY T. BALL, Proprietor, Rock Island, Que.**

The plot can be seen and the price of the property be obtained  
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Sing a song of shirtwaists,  
 White or blue or black;  
 Four and twenty hooks and eyes  
 That fasten in the back.  
 And the language fether uses,  
 When clumsily he tries  
 To fasten mother's hooks,  
 Only opens mother's eyes.  
 —Harper's Weekly.

Up to Date.



Slum Law—So your wife wants alimony?  
 Sing Lee—Yep; allee money me cottes.

### HUSBAND WINS ALIMONY.

North Dakota Supreme Court Holds a Man Has the Same Rights as a Woman.

Bismarck, N. Dak.—The Supreme Court handed down decisions affirming the lower court in its judgment that Emma Hagart must pay alimony to Claude Hagart, her former husband. The case was started in the District Court in Grand Forks County when Hagart sued for divorce, which was granted with alimony. Mrs. Hagart, who is wealthy, did not think the court had jurisdiction and appealed to the Supreme Court, with above results. The decision says in part: "A separate and equitable action in the suit of the husband against the wife will live to compel the wife to support and maintain the husband when amply able to do so and when she had not been deserted or abandoned by the husband when he, because of age and infirmity, is unable to gain his own living."

"The statutes governing alimony in divorce cases do not bar an equitable action for maintenance and support by one spouse against the other."

"Section 4007, imposing upon the wife the duty of supporting the husband under these circumstances, does not declare merely an unenforceable duty, but, coupled with section 4078 of the statutes, grants one spouse an inchoate interest to the extent of necessary support in the property, real and personal, of the other."

### BIG IRRIGATION SCHEME.

Will Reclaim 300,000 Acres and Cost \$18,000,000.

Spokane, Wash.—Three hundred thousand acres of land in the Horse Heaven country, in Klickitat, Yakima and Benton counties, south central Washington, will be reclaimed by a \$18,000,000 project, upon which the Klickitat Irrigation and Power Company, L. M. Pierce, chief engineer, has started construction work near Goldendale. It is announced that 2,000 men soon will be at work.

The undertaking is financed by English and Canadian capital. Five years will be required to complete the works. The main canal, lined with concrete, will be 25 feet in width at the top, 13 feet at the bottom, 12 feet in depth and 122 miles in length, with three primary laterals aggregating 200 miles and 1,000 miles of distributing laterals. The project includes also five miles of tunnels, large storage reservoirs, dams and weirs.

### NEW MOTHER-IN-LAW PHASE

Husband's Hens Laid for Her, Not for Wife, is Divorce Plea.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—The "mother-in-law question" took new turn in Insolvency Court when Zella Cunningham filed suit for divorce, asserting that her husband kept chickens to supply fresh eggs for his mother, and told his wife: "Store eggs are good enough for you." She alleges further that to carry out the idea he keeps the key to the chicken house. She says that is extreme cruelty.

William P. Cunningham, the husband, is a traveling salesman. The wife says she is the owner of the home and furniture. She prays for alimony and restoration of her maiden name, Zella Vance. She charges also that her husband has been guilty of "gross neglect of duty" for more than three years. They were married July 24, 1906.

### LAYS EGG LIKE PUMPKIN.

Duck Scared by Halloween Revelers Produces Scientific Wonder.

Greenwich, Conn.—George Barnes's big duck, Empress Eugenia, laid an egg that is shaped somewhat like a pumpkin, with a distinct stem attachment, is of mottled yellow hue and has vague spots on it that gives its south aspect the look of a jack-o'-lantern. It was pointed out that Empress Eugenia was thrown into duck hysteresis when boys paraded around the poultry runways, bearing aloft beaming eyed and fiery mouthed jack-o'-lanterns in a celebration.

### Nearing the 100,000,000 Mark.

Washington, D. C.—The per capita circulation of money in the United States is \$34.54, according to a statement issued by the Treasury Department. To arrive at this figure the experts estimate that the population of the country is fast approaching the 100,000,000 mark. Beside their calculation on the census of 1910 they estimate that there are 94,679,000 souls in the United States.

Brand Pillow Outfit Firm Fraud.  
 Washington, D. C.—The Post Office Department issued a fraud order against F. P. Barton, of New Haven, Conn., trading as the Harvey Company. Barton's scheme was to sell women outfits with which to make pillows, for which they "would find ready and profitable markets." He got \$3 for the outfits, and his customers found no market for their goods, according to the inspectors' reports.

### Swim for Life in Storm.

Chester, Pa.—While navigating in the open launch, Rosa, Adolph Fisher and sons, Augustus and John, were shipwrecked near the mouth of Raccoon Creek and all three were compelled to swim to the New Jersey shore, where they were extended the hospitality of a farmer, who sheltered them until their clothing became dry.

## TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

### Germany Against the Saloon.

It is interesting to note the increase in the membership of a large number of temperance societies in Germany proper, as well as the spread of anti-liquor convictions among other sections of the German people in America. Among the leading societies at present advocating temperance and abstinence in Germany are the Good Templars; the German Anti-Saloon Society, which numbers 30,000 in Germany. The German Union of Abstemious Women; the National German Federation against Alcoholism; in addition to which are organizations for groups of professional men such as Abstemious Philologists, Abstemious Pastors, Abstemious Jurors, Abstemious Merchants, Abstemious Postal Telegraph Officers, and Abstemious Students. These societies number considerably more than fifty thousand and are constantly increasing in membership.

The National German Federation Against Alcoholism has instituted in Berlin a course of lectures on the alcohol question. One lecture is given each month; and the year's course is afterward published in bound volume. The work is attracting wide attention.

In America one of the recent and notable expressions was that taken by the Northwestern Conference of German Baptists at their annual meeting for 1907 held in Racine. As given by R. J. Hack, clerk of the Conference, the resolutions expressed their heartiest sympathy with the great work now going on throughout America against the saloon and stated further: "We recognize in the saloon the greatest enemy of mankind. We deem it our Christian duty and responsibility to counteract the influence of the saloon by our prayers, arguments, votes and financial support."

### Whiskey People Not Together.

Some time ago Secretary Bonaparte issued a very drastic set of rules upon the pure food law for the labeling of the various kinds of whiskeys, as to whether the whiskey was pure or blended or some other sort of stuff.

Thereupon arose all sorts of protests and frantic appeals among the liquor people to various dictionaries regarding the meaning of the word whiskey, and descriptions of the inevitable hardships that would be wrought, providing that Secretary Bonaparte's definition of pure whiskey were allowed to stand as the basis of operations for the pure food department. The secretary then told the liquor people to get together and formulate some definition of whiskey which they should submit to the attorney-general of the United States, with a view to a test case. Since then they have been clapper-clawing each other over the subject, trying to get together to agree upon some understanding as to a statement of fact to be presented to court, but have utterly failed. It was announced at the department of justice that "there was little prospect of agreement and that it was probable that proceedings would be instigated by the federal government against the manufacturers who violated the criminal provisions of the pure food law in connection with the labeling of whiskey."

### Temperance Part of Religion.

"We can never create a public sentiment strong enough to suppress the drink shops until God's people take hold of the temperance reform as a part of their religion. The time is ripe for a new campaign in opposition to this evil. An appeal is now made to the church to open a fresh warfare against the bottle wherever found—in the social circle, on the household board, or on the counter of the saloons."—Rev. Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler.

### An American King Dethroned.

Sing a song of twelve pence,  
 A bottle full of rye,  
 Four and twenty sad hours  
 In a cell to lie.  
 And when the cell was opened,  
 Each wrist was in a ring;  
 Wasn't that a pretty plight  
 For one who was a king?  
 Catholic Abstainer.

### The Outcome of Drink.

The greatest cause of social crime is drink. The great cause of poverty is drink. When I hear of a family broken up I ask the cause—drink. If I go to the gallows, and ask its victim the cause, the answer—drink. Then I ask myself in perfect wonderment, Why do not men put a stop to this thing?—Archbishop Ireland.

### Battles to be Fought.

There are yet some great battles to be fought, some great enemies to be encountered by the United Kingdom, but the most pressing enemy is drink. It kills more than all our newest weapons of warfare, and not only destroys the body, but the mind and soul also. Lord Wolsey, Commander-in-Chief.

### Drink and Business.

The consumption of liquor promotes business on about the same principle as war does. Lives are lost, wives widowed, children orphaned. There is an enormous material loss, and a crushing debt for future generations to pay. There may be an excuse for war, but none for the consumption of liquor.

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