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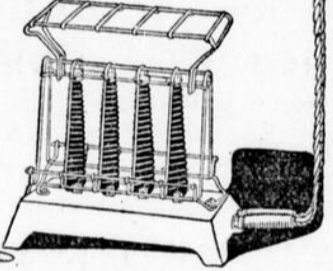
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TOWN TOPICS.

To Let—Six-room tenement in the Waldron block.
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Mr. Edward Audinwood has rented all the tenements in his new building.
Miss Badge Campbell is working in the office of Mayor F. W. D. Melloon.

Favorable news is received daily from John Carbee at Brightlook Hospital, St. Johnsbury.

Dr. A. W. DuBois will be at the Derby Line Hotel Nov. 17th, 18th, 19th, and 20th. See advertisement.

"The local aspect of the temperance question" was the subject of Rev. G. W. Fisher's sermon at Beebe Sunday evening, a report of which will be found on the third page of this paper.

We have need to again call the attention of correspondents and contributors to the necessity of sending in their matter early in the week. We cannot do the week's work in one day.

Mr. Eugene Cowles will join Mr. Fritz Read in a recital at Sherbrooke Thursday evening, Nov. 20th. Mr. Cowles has received several requests to sing in this vicinity and may do so later on.

Rev. A. E. Pates of Knowlton, will preach in the Centenary Methodist Church next Sunday, both morning and evening. Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at noon. Visitors welcome.

Our entire line of Christmas cards, novelties, etc., has been received and is displayed ready for our customers who prefer to make early selections. Many of these goods will not be duplicated. J. J. Parker

Officers of Quebec Grand Lodge of Knights Pythias, visited the local Border Lodge No. 14, K. P., Thursday evening and conferred the third degree in long form. About fifteen delegates were here from Mount Royal Lodge No. 15, Montreal. Refreshment were served following the work.

A petition for a Government building is being signed at Beebe. Industrially Beebe has reached a position where its citizens may reasonably make such a request. Rock Island already has a Federal building, the erection of the one promised to Stanstead will likely be begun in the spring, and it is now Beebe's turn.

A discount of 15 per cent off all trimmed hats beginning Saturday Nov. 15th, 1913. I have just received a complete line of Egyptian Ivory novelties, manicure articles, frames, clocks, sewing sets, etc. Egyptian Ivory novelties make attractive and useful Christmas gifts. Also a large line of fancy work. H. M. Hepworth.

On Saturday afternoon and evening, Nov. 15th, the officers of the Grand Chapter of Quebec will institute Livelystone Chapter, Royal Arch Masons at Stanstead. The meeting will be opened at 2.30. Prominent members of the Masonic fraternity from Montreal, Sherbrooke, and elsewhere will be present. All Royal Arch Masons cordially invited.

Last night we received a pro-licence communication from Beebe which will occupy a space of about four columns. This we are obliged to lay over until our next issue. We would warn our correspondents that lengthy communication should reach us by Tuesday morning. Of course we will do our best to handle what comes later, but we cannot be expected to throw aside the regular local matter or disappoint our advertisers.

Not all having special gifts are ready to contribute them to delight and comfort old people. The Mozart (Ladies) Quartette, which gave the concert at the Haskell Opera House Friday evening, while walking about the village Saturday morning met Mr. Charles Carpenter and interrogated him regarding the "old elm tree," etc. During the conversation Mr. Carpenter expressed regret that, owing to the illness of Mrs. Carpenter, neither she nor he were able to attend the entertainment and the ladies at once volunteered to call at the Carpenter home and sing for them. About half past ten they called and in a very kindly and informal way gathered about Mrs. Carpenter's bed and sang many of the old, sweet songs of her girlhood, with interludes of cheery conversation, a most gracious thing to do, and it delighted these old people and those who love and care for them in the twilight hours of their long beautiful life. God blesses such thoughtfulness, and in the days to come a compensating experience is sure to bless those who take pleasure in such rare, sweet giving of themselves for others. The act was so very unusual that it is worthy of publicity.

TOWN TOPICS.

50 new Ladies' Coats to arrive Saturday, Nov. 8th, to be sold at 20 to 40 per cent below regular prices. W. M. Pike & Son.

All who are interested in hockey are invited to attend a meeting to be held at the Union House next Tuesday at 7.30 p. m.

The Ladies Aid of Centenary Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Clarence Libby Wednesday, Nov. 19th, at 3 p. m.

Patrons who desire Photographs, Artistic Framing, Personal Greeting Cards, etc., for Christmas, must get their orders in at once. Parker's Studio.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. F. Moulton celebrated her 84th birthday to-day, entertaining her two sons, Carlos I. and Charles A. and family at dinner. Madame Moulton is enjoying fairly good health.

Mrs. D. A. Lee, the mother of Mr. C. Eugene Lee, is 83 years of age today. She is with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Quimby of Sandwich, N. H. Mrs. Lee crossed the Tomifobia on the original wooden bridge into Rock Island, Jan. 1, 1849, 62 years ago.

Services at the Congregational Church Sunday, preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. H. F. Hallett. Morning subject: "A profitable business." Evening: "Why I believe in heaven." Sabbath School at noon. Mrs. Charles W. Wells, soloist.

At Stanstead, Monday night, Eugene Gagné was arrested by Constable McNamey upon a warrant charging him with being drunk and disorderly and sworn to by his wife. The hearing was before S. Murdoch, J.P., yesterday; the penalty fine and costs amounting in all to \$16.50.

After waiting several weeks for some one to break his record, John Gallagher arrived at the JOURNAL office yesterday with two perfectly formed Green Mountain potatoes weighing 6 1/2 lbs. Mr. Gallagher says he used James McNally's Victor fertilizer. This is probably the "last word" in the potato business this year.

A very serious automobile accident occurred Thursday evening opposite the Lamorey orchard below the Alvah Morrill farm two miles this side of Newport. John Carbee and Harry Corse, employes of the Ames garage, were on their way to Newport to meet K. P. delegates en route from Montreal to the special meeting here. Corse was driving the Butters Winton six, which had been borrowed for the purpose. At the orchard they overtook a single rig, with which then collided. The car struck the buggy in the rear and turned turtle, throwing Corse several feet, evidently without any injury, but both of Carbee's legs were caught at the knees by the running board. The right leg was broken near the knee, and the left knee joint dislocated. The machine finished right side up at the lower side of the highway. Carbee was helpless, but Ned Young was following with another car on the same mission, and was on hand to assist. Dr. Waldron was taken down from here and Dr. Somers from West Derby. As soon as possible the ambulance was secured from Newport and Carbee was taken to Brightlook Hospital, St. Johnsbury, on the night mail, accompanied by Dr. Somers and Mr. Geo. Ames. At noon Friday the fracture was reduced and the dislocation reset. A silver plate was screwed to the broken one and there is no reason why the leg will not be perfect; the patient is getting along well. The operation was performed by Dr. Allen, one of the most skillful men in New England. Mr. William Bullock of Derby, driver of the rig, escaped without injury. The rear axle of the buggy was broken in two. The car was considerably smashed.

GRANITEVILLE.

The friends of Mrs. Stephen Salls of Sherbrooke formerly of this place, will be sorry to hear that she is very ill.

Miss Lucie Salls is spending a few weeks at Hamilton's Mills, Fitch Bay, with friends.

Mr. Percy Salls of Rock Island spent Tuesday at his home here.

Miss Muriel Blair left on Tuesday for North Troy, Vt., to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. J. Messier left on Wednesday for his home in Iberville to spend a week with his family.

Mrs. M. Tilton is quite sick at the present writing. She is attended by Dr. Gatchell.

Mrs. Alex Hamilton, who has been so seriously ill with pneumonia is making rapid progress towards recovery.

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THE LIBRARY ENTERTAINS.

The Library is to be congratulated upon the success of the initial entertainment in the course for the winter, which was given last Friday evening by the Mozart (Ladies) Quartette of Boston. There was a splendid audience and the entertainers were able to touch the popular chord.

From all sides was to be heard words of appreciation for the very choice program and the pleasing personalities of the four ladies who presented it. We are, as a country community, in a position to be critical of both vocal and instrumental music, as we have heard and are constantly hearing excellent voices and instrumentation, consequently one is led to judge that it is a very full compliment to the ladies of the Mozart Quartette that they were so heartily applauded. It also revealed another very delightful feature, the audience seemed to feel that they were listening to voices that belong with us, the songs of "could" acquaintances, and this in a sense was true, as the lyric soprano, Miss Echoff, was born in Stanstead, her father, Charles Eckhoff, was a teacher of music here 25 years ago, and will be remembered by many as the leader of the local band. His daughter is a cultured, sweet singer. Mrs. Tenney, the low alto, possessed a very unusual voice; the resonant quality filling all the corners of the quartette work, and her singing of the "Blue Danube," showed her voice quality at its best. Miss Wilson, the mezzo soprano, made fine ballast for the upper register in the quartette work and was pleasing in solo. Mrs. Dudley's alto was a very enjoyable unit in the quartette, and her solo work was particularly choice; at the piano as accompanist, we question if anything finer was ever heard here. The comedy sketch was a happy diversion, a pleasing feature of the program. These such entertainments for a dollar is the usual bumper measure of all educational work, the high line of demarcation between sham and worth.

PLEASANT HEIGHTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Harris visited relatives at Beebe Saturday and Sunday.

We are having lovely weather at this writing. Mr. W. H. Bacheldecker picked three ripe strawberries the 27th of Oct.

Nov. 2nd Misses Opal Standish and E. Rexford of Ayer's Cliff were guests of Miss Pearl Bissell.

Mr. W. Giddens of Montreal was at Mr. H. Cass's on Thursday.

A number from this way attended the oyster supper at Mr. N. Brookhouse's on Thursday evening.

Miss Olive Bacheldecker of Crystal Lake was a week-end guest of Miss Eva Bacheldecker.

Mrs. E. Embury and little son Rolf, and her sister, Mrs. W. Watkins, of Griffin were recent guests at Mr. Wm. Bissell's and at Mr. H. W. Bacheldecker's.

The duck shoot at Mr. J. Allen's Saturday afternoon passed off finely. Twenty-four ducks were taken away, and all enjoyed the sport. A fine supper was served by Mrs. Allen. Miss Pearl Bissell, Miss Olive Bacheldecker and Miss E. Bacheldecker attended the duck shoot.

Mr. Wm. Reid of Eastman is visiting his sister, Mrs. Margaret Bacheldecker.

Mr. Wm. Bissell has rented his farm to Mr. Leland Bacheldecker, who will take possession about the 17th. Although Mr. and Mrs. Bacheldecker will be welcomed as neighbors, Mr. Bissell and daughter will be much missed as no one could ask for better neighbors.

Miss Bissell will be much missed by the young people as she is a very active person, and always ready to help them to have a good time. We wish them success in whatever they undertake.

BEEBE.

Chas. Haselton and Fred Earl were in Hyde Park last Friday on business, going by automobile.

The Home Mission, an Advent society, will have an oyster and baked bean supper in the boarding house on the camp ground, Friday evening, Nov. 14th, from six until eight. All invited to attend. Supper 25 cts.

The W. C. T. U. met last Friday with Mrs. Ozro Caos in place of Mrs. Cars. She is unable to leave her home. She is gaining slowly from her recent injury.

Rev. G. W. Fisher's Temperance Sunday sermon is reported on the third page.

Word has been received that Mrs. Edward Bellam of Moe's River in a critical condition. Mr. and Mrs. Bellam are known to some in the place as they often visit at his son's Fred Bellam's.

The All Saints Church people gave on oyster supper in the town hall, Tuesday evening to a large company. The supper was followed by a program of music and readings, after which some enjoyed the pleasure of a waltz, a quick-step one. Quite a number were down from Stanstead and assisted in the program.

The Book and Tumble Club were very pleasantly entertained at Mrs. E. M. Champbell's Tuesday afternoon. A large number were there and one new member joined. They are to meet with Mrs. Fred Bellam, Nov. 25. Roll call, current events.

The rummage sale and bazaar is to be held next week Thursday afternoon, Nov. 20th, in the basement of the church. Booths of different kinds of articles to be sold. There will be a cup of nice hot coffee, sandwiches, baked beans, etc. Come and see what they have and then buy. On Wednesday a team will collect the articles for sale.

The missionary meeting was held at the Sabbath School rooms of the Baptist church last Wednesday.

The Baptist society are to have a social and harvest supper at Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell's Wednesday evening, Nov. 19th, to which all are invited.

CRYSTAL HEIGHTS.

Mr. Stillman D. Keet is now the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Keet, of Lake View Farm, after spending almost two years in Worcester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Sincok are the guests of their son, Mr. John Sincok.

Word was received by Mr. A. L. Mosher, of the recovery of his brother, Mr. John Mosher, of Ayer's Cliff.

Much sympathy is felt for little Roland Drew of Crystal Lake who broke his arm last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Keet and son Willie were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gustin of Brown's Hill.

Mr. Monday of Ayer's Cliff was here on Buckday gathering up turkeys for market.

Mr. Q. N. Keet and Miss Ora Gustin carried off the booby prize at a game of pitch at S. C. Gustin's home at Fitch Bay last Wednesday.

Mr. S. D. Keet and Mr. A. L. Mosher are going into the poultry business and are talking of buying the Bullard place and turning it into a henery.

Mr. Lee N. Keet has purchased a piece of land and is going into the duck business.

T. W. Keet is going to raising geese and turkeys.

DEMICK'S MILLS, VT.

The Ladies Aid of Demick's Mills met with Mrs. Albert Smith for dinner. Total number 45, proceeds \$6. There were three visitors, Eld. W. H. Osgood, Mrs. William Smith and Mrs. Swift of Caswellboro. The Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Ernest Gray at dinner, Thursday, Nov. 20, 1913.

TOWN TOPICS.

American Thanksgiving two weeks from today.

Mr. W. Armstrong of Boston was in town Thursday.

Mr. D. P. Henley of St. Johnsbury was in town Thursday.

Col. L. G. Atwood of New York City was in town Thursday and Friday.

Miss Ruth Stevens is entertaining Miss Pauline Hanson of Montreal.

Mrs. B. B. Morrill has been entertaining Mrs. Camp of Lyndouville.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Cullins returned from their honeymoon trip Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Hovey returned from Boston Monday morning after a few days' absence.

Miss M. I. Butters left Friday for Woodstock, Vt., where she will remain several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Colby of West Burke, Vt., was in town the last of the week.

Miss Edith McGregor has returned from a visit of several weeks at her old home near New Glasgow, N. S.

You had better secure your seat for the Lady Minstrels before it is too late. They are going fast, and the show is to-morrow night at the Haskell Opera House.

Mr. Frederick B. Amour returned from his western trip for the Telford Chapman Manufacturing Company Saturday. Mr. Amour found business very quiet in the West.

The Derby Line Hotel will serve a special dinner on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 27. Secure your tickets early that the host may provide what is necessary.

The Bowling Alley in the St. Joseph Hall building will be open for the season next Saturday evening. It will be running each week day evening thereafter until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wheatly, an automobile party from Montreal, were in town from Thursday until Monday. The Gordons have a son at Stanstead College.

Telford Brothers Garment Co. have purchased the Crown Manufacturing Co.'s factory building near the Rock Island passenger station. The deed was passed the first of the week. This will make a very desirable plant for this concern.

Master Milton Hunt was entertained at the Hunt home, Saturday evening, by 21 boy and girl friends, who met to celebrate his 11th birthday. All had a good time, refreshments were served and the "Col." thought the recognition was as kind as he could ask for.

The funeral of little Muriel Beatrice Wood was held at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dennison L. Wood on Nelson Hill, Thursday, Nov. 6th. Rev. H. F. Hallett officiated. The interment was in cemetery at Derby Center. The child died Monday the 3rd inst.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. J. E. Brown of Boston was in town Friday.

Mr. A. M. Stevens and Mr. J. F. McWain of Island Pond were in town Sunday.

Mrs. Jean M. Holding, Lady Principal of Stanstead College, spent the week-end with her son in Montreal.

Rev. A. Lee and Mrs. Holmes left last week for Bangor, Me., and from there will go to Washington, D. C., for the winter.

Col. H. T. Haskell's writing from Pasadena says that he is having green peas from his garden, and that roses are in bloom.

Very favorable news is coming from Mrs. (Col.) H. S. Haskell from Pasadena, Cal. She is finding help from the general climate conditions there.

The Rain and Sunshine Serving Club will meet with Mrs. T. L. Noyes, Judd's Mills Thursday Nov. 20th, for dinner. All members are cordially invited.

Messrs. Fred S. and Laurence H. Laythe left for Montreal Monday. The latter is taking his first lessons in "outside" salesmanship; the former will leave for the Maritime Provinces at the end of the week.

The Woman's Reading Club will meet at three o'clock next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Oscar F. Caswell. Quotations from French authors, in English, for roll call. Members of the Entertainment Committee are requested to be present fifteen minutes before three o'clock.

A large delegation from Sheridson Council, Knights of Columbus, St. Johnsbury, was in town on Sunday, and conferred the first and second degrees on 28 local and visiting candidates. Several were present from Newport and Island Pond. The work was done at St. Joseph's Hall and was followed by a banquet in the dining-room below. Mr. T. Frank O'Rourke acted as toastmaster. The speakers were Messrs. Cosgrove and Healy of St. Johnsbury, F. R. Cravelier, M. F. Hackett T. J. Norris, of this place William Gleason and Charles Street of Island Pond. It was a very successful gathering.

The first house under construction by the Three Villages Building Association has been sold to Joseph Frappell, an employe of Butterfield & Co. A second house is now under way. There were six applicants for the first building. The Association has been incorporated under the laws of the Province of Quebec with a capital of \$50,000. The promoters plan to build houses for sale to working men upon the easy-payment plan. They aim to give those who have a little money to invest an opportunity of paying for a home. They have thirty-six lots in the Three Villages, obtained at reasonable prices, and having a well-equipped mill they should be able to build at more reasonable prices than most others.

BARNSTON.

It was an auspicious occasion, auspicious, because fraught with glad potent and good will between Protestant denominations, last Wednesday, when, in response to an invitation from the Ladies Guild of Christ, church to the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church, and the Ladies Mission Circle of the Baptist church, about fifty assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jenks. The Guild was opened by prayer, by Rev. J. M. Bradshaw, and "Nearer My God to Thee" was sung by the assembly, Miss Argie Walker at the piano. An hour of pleasant social intercourse followed, and then tea was served, forty sitting down at one time, the president of the Guild, Mrs. E. S. Buckland, presiding, with a president of the visiting auxiliaries on either side. After the meal, kindly expressions of Christian love were given, voice to by Rev. Bradshaw and McLaughlin, expressions which only voiced the sentiment of all present.

A vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Jenks was moved and seconded, and the guests left for their homes, a Doxology in their hearts, that the tie binding the Christian workers of Barnston should be growing into an unbreakable chain.

The Dixville friends of Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy invited the Barnston friends, last Friday evening to assist them in surprising Mr. and Mrs. McCoy on the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. The evening was a delightful one, and a number of autos were called into requisition. Two beautiful willow rocking arm chairs were presented to Mr. and Mrs. McCoy by the Dixville friends and an envelope containing money by the Barnston and Coaticook friends. A pleasant evening of social intercourse followed and was brought to a close by the serving of palatable refreshments, after which the impromptu guests dispersed wishing Mr. and Mrs. McCoy many happy returns of their quarter century of wedded bliss.

Three baptisms took place at the service at Christ's church, Sunday afternoon, the two youngest daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mackwell being received into the church by the Rev. J. M. Bradshaw.

Rev. Mr. McLaughlin exchanged pupils last Sunday with Rev. M. Williams of Hatley.

Mr. Frank McCoy, who is in charge of the school at South Barnston, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here.

The hunters who are at Camp Dubois are having unprecedented good fortune and their friends here have been enjoying the fruits thereof.

The next meeting of the Ladies Guild of Christ's church will be with Mrs. Robert Markwell, Friday, Nov. 21st., for dinner.

Mrs. H. Corey has returned from North Hatley where she has been spending a couple of weeks, becoming acquainted with a new grandson.

There was a surprise dance at Mr. John Hunter's, last Friday evening, when his friends in a most agreeable fashion, made him acquainted with the fact that he was having a birthday.

Mr. Chas. H. Kobelt, who has been spending a week at his old home, "The Woodlands," has returned to his duties in the electric light business at Sherbrooke.

Mrs. J. M. Bradshaw was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jenks last Saturday night, on her way to Rev. Mr. Stevens' at Coaticook, where she has been spending a week.

Mr. Geo. Sutton was laid to rest last Saturday in the Gould burying ground. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Terry of Coaticook. Mr. Sutton was one of the oldest residents of Barnston.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sutton, on the 29th ult. Mother and daughter are both doing well. Congratulations.

SMITH'S MILLS.

Messrs. Gould and Everett of Effort, Pa., are in the place at present with a gang of eight men getting Christmas trees.

Mr. Albert Heath of Danville was in the place recently.

The Guild met with Mrs. Bert Miller on Wednesday last, a large number being present and a pleasant day spent.

Rev. Mr. Pimlott of Georgeville made calls in the place last Thursday. Mrs. Peter O'Leary visited Mr. James O'Leary in the Sherbrooke hospital on Friday last and found him gaining rapidly.

Mr. Lee Reed is not gaining as fast as his many friends would wish.

Mrs. Hoyt of Penacook, N. H., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Thomas Howard.

Mr. Shone O'Leary has returned to his home in Boston.

Mrs. Henry Longeway and son Carroll spent Sunday with relatives in West Derby, Vt.

Mr. William Day who got his foot badly crushed recently, is not gaining very fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Leary of Graniteville were in the place on Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Beerworth of Rock Island made calls in the place last week.

BRESETE CORNER.

Mr. Fred Brown of Griffin who has been moving the building lately purchased by Mr. Chas. Jackson from Mr. Lewis Turner, has the job nearly completed.

Mr. Richard Spriggings has his new house all inclosed and is taking advantage of the fine warm weather.

Miss Emma Leonard has completed her summer's work at North Hatley and returned to her home.

Mr. Augustus McFarland and Mrs. P. O. Connell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Meigs at West Compton the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McConnell visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Hunter at Enstis the first of the week.

Mr. Augustus McFarland of Barre, Vt., is having a fine monument placed for his father in the cemetery at Rock Forest. The stone is of dark Barre granite, a four-piece monument, with a ball of lighter granite at the top, and was manufactured by the World's Granite Co. at Barre, Vt.

Mr. Edgar Hawse has the contract to improve and enlarge the creamery lately purchased by Mr. Davis of Boston, Mass.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Carlton Turner on the 5th inst., with a good attendance, and on the 7th a rummage sale was held which was a success in every way, \$55 being added to the treasury, and the ladies feel very grateful to all who helped to carry out the work.

Mr. W. W. Reed has sold his creamery at Reed's Crossing to a Mr. Davis of Boston, Mass., who will enlarge and improve the plant, making it an up-to-date business.

Mr. P. S. Tait has sold his house to Mr. L. Bomque who has taken possession, for the sum of \$900. Mr. Carlton Turner has bought the Oral Bean house for \$900 and has rented it to a family from Rock Island.

Mr. Fred Young has moved to Cobalt leaving his two oldest children with their grandmother, Mrs. Dionne, who has bought and taken possession of the Tomkinson house.

Mrs. Perkins Hawse of North Hatley visited Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Little on Saturday, the united ages of the three being 250 years.

Mr. Robt. Smith has returned from a visit to friends in St. Johnsbury, Ryegate, Vt., and Woodsville, N. H.

Mrs. Johnathan Watts of Pasumpsic, Vt., is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Wm. Sims of Sherbrooke is the guest of her brother, Mr. Robt. Smith.

Quite a number of orange men and their wives attended the annual 5th-of-November celebration at Waterville.

Mr. William Gallagher is in the General Hospital in Sherbrooke for treatment.

Mrs. Wm. Gallagher and Mrs. Robt. Smith were in Sherbrooke on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Dingman and son Gordon of Sherbrooke and Mrs. A. S. Hyatt of Moe's River were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Wilson over Sunday.

Mrs. P. H. Wilson and twin sons are spending a few days at the home of Mr. Wilson's sister, Mrs. A. S. Hyatt, at Moe's River.

WAY'S MILLS.

All parties interested in building a new town hall are requested to meet at the school house on Saturday, the 18th, at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Carl Hanson of Rock Island is spending a few days at J. O. Oliver's.

Mrs. E. J. Gilbert will entertain the Ladies Aid at dinner on Tuesday, Nov. 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert recently spent a few days in Bromptonville and Montreal.

Mrs. Hiram Hastings of Alberta who has been visiting friends in this place the past week, was one day a guest of Mrs. S. W. Sargent.

From another correspondent.

Miss Gertrude Smith spent a few days at Mrs. I. Wyman's last week.

Mrs. Will Hanson has returned home after spending several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gould.

Miss Norma Holmes and Mr. Elton Chadsey are entertaining the messes.

Mr. and Mrs. Waiter Major and children of South Barnston spent Sunday at Mr. John Ashman's.

Mrs. Hiram Hastings of Alberta has been making her farewell visits to relatives and old friends here before her departure for home.

Mrs. Ned Lyford and daughter of Newport have been visiting her mother, Mrs. H. A. Standish.

Mrs. Hiram Hastings and Mrs. A. E. Chadsey spent a day last week at their cousin's and brother's, Mr. John Hurd's.

DUFFERIN AVENUE.

Mrs. Tiffin invites the Ladies of the Helping Hand to dinner on Saturday, November the twenty-second.

The Ladies Aid of Cassville will give a chicken-pie supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith on Friday evening, November the fourteenth. Supper served from six to nine. Adults 25cts., children 15cts.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bartlett of Manchester, N. H., returned to their home last week.

MASSAWIPPI.

W. A. Hunting & Co. have electric lights at their new factory which is nearing completion, the machinery having been installed. The dry kiln is being moved from its former position to the new one. A fine spring of water has been secured from Mr. E. Walker, and pipes have been laid to the dry kiln.

Mr. John Mosher has recently installed electric lights in his house, and Mr. Elmer McClary is having them put into his farm house on Stanstead Street, he being the second farmer to take advantage of the line passing his door, Mr. Chas. Walker, a short distance farther south, being the first.

A peculiar accident occurred here Sunday evening just after dusk. Two little boys of Mr. H. Stone were playing in the barn, when one fell through an opening, upon the floor beneath. The other boy called his mother who came hurriedly and fell through the same opening, striking upon the fallen boy who was too stunned to rise. It seems that Mr. Stone had taken away the old stairs with the intention of building new ones, and in the dusk neither the boy or his mother noticed that the steps were gone. Fortunately no serious discomfort was experienced only for a time, but all had quite a fright and shaking up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Murray are closing their summer cottage and returning to Montreal this week. Mrs. W. A. Murray and Miss Sadie Murray of "Fernelif" will also return to Montreal this week for the winter.

Mr. E. Smith and Miss Mable Smith were at Magog and Cherry River on Monday, and visited at Mr. Chester Smith's, at the latter place.

Some light snow fell Monday and Tuesday.

A few Foresters from this place attended the Foresters' oyster supper and entertainment at North Hatley Monday evening.

Mr. Harold Bean of Beebe spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Ernest Bean lately spent a few days at Hatley Center among relatives.

Mrs. H. Hastings is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Carl Moulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser of Groveton, N. H., were recent visitors at "Broadview," the home of her uncle.

COMPTON

Dry weather has continued up to the present and it looks now as if winter would settle down without the usual fall rains. Water is very low, and much inconvenience is being experienced by our people. A good deal of anxiety is felt by the farmers who must soon bring their stock to the barns and unless there is a change in the condition of things, water will have to be drawn for them. It is also thought that the water which is so low down in the springs and wells is unsafe for household purposes and that all drinking water should be boiled.

Rev. Mr. Lehigh, the new pastor of the Methodist Church here, is doing good work all over the circuit. He has recently organized a Sunshine Club for the girls of the congregation and is interesting the boys in the popular "Scout" movement.

Miss Aline Pomeroy has entered the Royal Victoria College as nurse in training.

Miss Ruth Pomeroy has recovered very satisfactorily from her recent operation for appendicitis.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church here arranged to hold a chicken pie supper and sale of work on Tuesday, December 9th.

Mrs. Lehigh has been confined to the house this week with illness.

KINGSCROFT.

Adelard Lebeau, returned recently from Reading, Mass., where he had worked for the Ice Company.

On Monday, Nov. 3rd, Batiste Lecloux was married at the Parish Church here to a young lady from Sherbrooke. They will reside in Sherbrooke. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Orcutt returned from South Barnston last Sunday.

Mrs. Hiram Hastings of Daysland, Alberta, was calling on friends here last Monday. She expects to return soon to her home in the Northwest.

M. N. Corey was at Beebe last Saturday.

Henry Moulton and family of Hatley were at Mr. Edson's last Sunday.

Wilfrid St. Laurent has built a silo and made other repairs to his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Glidden of Hatley were at M. N. Corey's last Monday.

Theodore Duclos, has a new gasoline engine and separator. At M. N. Corey's he threshed 445 bushels in eight hours and a half.

NORTH STANSTEAD.

Mrs. Bardeau has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Gallagher, the past week.

Mrs. B. Harris of Beebe spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Schoolcraft.

Mrs. Ralph Libby and little daughter Naomi and Mrs. Austin Libby of Cassville were guests at W. E. Byer's one day last week.

Miss Jennie McLellan of Rock Island was a guest Sunday of Miss Lipsy at G. W. Schoolcraft's.

Mrs. Myra Curtis has returned home from Morgan where she has been visiting her sister for a few weeks. Wedding bells are ringing.

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Rev. G. W. Fisher of Beebe Makes Strong Pronouncement on License Question.

"The local aspect of the temperance question—license or no-license," was the subject of the evening address at the Beebe Methodist Church, Sunday. The pastor, Rev. George W. Fisher, occupied the pulpit and spoke with no uncertain tone.

But while the preacher presented his arguments with force and fearlessness, he showed a broad spirit of fairness and commendable respect for the opinions of others. These were his words:

"I claim the right of private opinion on this, as other questions; I also gladly concede that right to others. I respect the man of decided convictions, though we may not agree in our opinions."

Mr. Fisher went almost far enough to invite interruption of the service when he stated that he would undertake to answer any questions that might be submitted to him in writing. He also expressed his willingness to meet those of opposite views in joint debate at any time.

Speaking with apparent emotion, the preacher claimed to be as deeply interested in the well-being and morality of the village of Beebe as the oldest resident.

Mr. Fisher said in part: "I desire to look at the question dispassionately, and talk with you as man to man. I assume we are all earnestly desiring to do what we regard as best for the well-being of our community. It may be said, it is not fair to deal with such a question in the pulpit where there is no chance of reply. Let me answer that I regard this question that is before us to-day as involving the greatest moral issues, and the pulpit is the place to deal with such issues, and further my utterances are public, and the press will, I feel sure, open its columns to any criticism of my position."

Experience in Temperance Reform Work

"I claim to have some knowledge of this question. My experience during my ministry has covered three Provinces—Quebec, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island as also England. In Quebec the towns in which I have lived have been under license law until coming to Beebe, when I rejoiced in finding a no-licensed tavern. In New Brunswick my experience was more varied. In three of the cities and towns only was there license; all the others were under the Scott or Canada Temperance Act. I was in the city of Fredericton in 1878 when the licensed saloons were all closed by the adoption of the Canada Temperance Act, and a men's reform club of over nine hundred was formed. I was Hon. Secretary of the plebiscite campaign in the Province of New Brunswick, which was carried by an immense majority, not simply in the rural parts, but in the towns and cities, with the exception of the commercial seaport of St. John; even there a large vote was polled in its favor.

The Island's Unique Position.

On Prince Edward Island—the garden of the Gulf—we advanced step by step until every licensed place was closed, and to-day Prince Edward Island enjoys this unique position among our Provinces. For years I was actively engaged in work with the Sons of Temperance and other organizations, being elected more than once to the positions of Grand Worthy Patriarch and Chaplain of the National Division which embraces the North American continent. Why say these things? Not because I have whereof to boast, but simply to show that I may reasonably claim to have some knowledge of this question. I do not claim to have the knowledge of those who by winks and nods, a kind of degraded free-masonry, say they can obtain any amount of liquor in non-license places, or can obtain entrance to low dives where liquor is sold. It is not to the credit of those who so boast, for it is tacit admission on their part that they themselves are law-breakers.

Conditions Vastly Superior Under No-License

From my experience and knowledge based on facts and observation in these places to which I have referred I have no hesitation in giving as my candid opinion, that the conditions in places where there has been no license have been vastly superior to those which have had license. I repeat, I am not conversant with the "hole and corner" business, nor do I assert that no-license in these places in all cases has meant that absolutely no liquor is sold, but I do say the conditions of the one over the other have been vastly superior.

Laws Necessary, Though Sometimes Broken.

We have on our statute books laws against stealing, murder, etc., but crime is committed. Take away all law against these things and what would follow? Lawlessness would soon so prevail that our country would be unsafe to live in. The fear of law is with numbers the only hindrance to wrong doing.

The Press Against Booze

After a brief reference to the atti-

tude of this paper, the speaker said:

"It is a fact for which we ought to be grateful, that to-day the press utterances are, by a very large majority, utterances against the evils of the liquor traffic. A vast change has come over the press within the past fifty years in regard to the liquor traffic; I do not know of any editor in this Province who would undertake to advocate the "benefits" of the liquor traffic to any community. There are papers which publish liquor advertisements, but they do this as a means of revenue. Frequently you see in the columns of the same paper articles condemning the traffic. I leave the editors of such papers to explain the consistency of such procedure. There are, however, prominent magazines and papers which refuse any such advertisements."

Medical Profession Also.

Another fact for which we should be grateful is the very advanced position taken by medical science on this question. Some of the foremost names in the medical world are now ranged on the side of total abstinence from alcoholic liquor as a beverage; it is an undeniable fact that alcohol does not hold the position it once held, and further that surgical operations are much more dreaded by the surgeon when the patient has been addicted to the use of intoxicants.

Another fact, the liquor traffic is now put on its defense as never before. It cannot afford to despise the temperance advance being made to-day; it is a power to be reckoned with.

Still another encouraging feature to which the speaker drew attention was the large number of "crowned heads" who are total abstainers; he also referred to the attitude of President Wilson and Secretary Bryan, and the fact that all intoxicants have been banished from the White House.

"A Distinct Downward Step."

Continuing, Mr. Fisher said: "With all this advance, with all these facts before them, our 'city fathers' have, by a majority vote, rescinded a resolution put on the municipal records by their forefathers for the protection of our beautiful village from the ravages of intemperance, and by this act have taken a distinct downward step in the history of our village."

I claim to be as deeply interested in the well-being and morality of your beautiful village as the longest resident, and only speak from the fullest conviction, that to have a licensed tavern in our midst would be an irreparable injury. Need I say that I have read with care the editorials and letters bearing on this question in our local paper? Our village has certainly been brought out in the lime-light of public opinion. So far as I can gather the position seems to be this:

Lack of Adequate Hotel Accommodation.

It was said, and is said in some of the communications, the Junction Hotel did not give the accommodation required, and an up-to-date hostelry was very much needed. An offer was made to give us such an hotel, provided a license to sell liquor was given. \$15,000 was to be spent in the erection of such a building, I believe plans were submitted, and sites examined. I think all admit that a building of such proportions would have given us a much needed requirement, but I maintain that to obtain even such a building, at such a cost as that of license would be too much. It is said that you cannot run a first-class hotel without a license. That I absolutely deny. In Fredericton and Moncton, New Brunswick there are first-class hotels; in Charlottetown and Summerside, Prince Edward Island, and to come nearer home, Derby Line, there are first class hotels, but no license. If any liquor is sold it is sold in violation of law.

On this question—the need of a first class hotel—a petition is circulated, the question of license being kept largely in the background. What is the sequel? The property denounced as being totally unfit for a first-class hotel, is purchased by aforesaid party who hopes to get a license to sell liquor, which it seems is supposed to bring it up to first-class requirements. I leave thoughtful persons to draw their own conclusions.

Let me now give you a few brief reasons why I am opposed—not to a first-class hotel for our village—but to a licensed tavern of any kind, in any

Evil Results of "Booze."

In the first place the liquor business results only in evil, it ruins the bodies and souls of men it destroys the home; it takes from the legitimate business of any community. The managing director of one of the largest manufacturing industries in St. John's, Quebec, told me often, how he wished every licensed tavern might be closed. "There are men, in my employ," said he, who receive from \$50 and \$60 for a two-weeks pay, who give their wives a paltry sum to keep house, and clothe the children taking the bulk of their earnings to the tavern, not only this but they frequently lose time because of drink."

Another industry, in Iberville, was again and again crippled because of the licensed taverns near by, the proprietor of that industry telling me that he had to turn down orders because of his inability to fill them, his best workman being off on a drinking bout. Said he, I do not wish for better work-

men when sober, but this drink is the curse of our town."

Detriment to Business.

I was talking with a merchant in a town in New Brunswick who did a large business. We were talking about business conditions. He said: "If I could only collect my book debts I might retire on a good competence tomorrow." It was a town where there were large milling industries, and licensed saloons. I replied: "I thought business was booming, mills running overtime." "True," he said, "but the trouble is, men take their earnings to the taverns instead of to their wives and families. If we could close up all the saloons men would soon be well off and ready to pay their bills."

Here the preacher read an extract from a well known periodical on the subject of drink and crime and told of a visit to the Dorchester, N. B., penitentiary in the same connection.

Partners in Crime.

Continuing, Mr. Fisher said: "My second reason for opposing license is that in giving a license those who grant it become partners in all the wrong-doing which may result; the same applies to those signing a petition for a license. Let families be impoverished, let homes be ruined, let our youth be destroyed, let murder be committed; all who demand or give license are partakers in the crime, and the one selling can well afford to laugh at those who may call his attention to these crimes. Then, like Lady Macbeth, those who have put their signatures on a petition for, and the parties granting the license, looking on the evil which has been brought in our midst, shall say with her, as she gazed upon the ruin wrought:

"Yet here's a spot, rubbing her hands, 'Out damned spot! out, I say! Here's the smell of blood still; all the perfumes of Arabia will not sweeten this little hand.'"

Or, if you will, take an illustration from the word of God. Christ is brought before Pilate. Pilate questions the Christ, goes out before the clamorous people and says: "I find no fault with him; yielding eventually to their clamorous demands, he gives the Christ over to them that they may crucify Him. Before doing this he takes water, and in their presence washes his hands and says: 'I am innocent of the blood of this just person, see ye to it.' Was he innocent? No! When he saw the wrong in all its horror, he gave himself over to despair. But the Christ was crucified. Ah! my hearers, there are sins which we ourselves can never forgive ourselves. God forbid that any one of us should ever look upon the wrong license will bring into our village, and deplore it when too late."

Not even Monetary Gain.

My third reason—From a simple monetary basis it will not pay. Grant a license, say for \$250.00; what about the extra cost of running our village finance? A policeman will soon be needed to patrol our streets, more jail accommodation will be needed. The council will have vastly more on its hands; eye, on its heart. Taking this the lowest basis, for the morals, and reputation of our village, are of much greater worth than any monetary consideration, but take this basis I ask: What will be the net monetary gain.

Boys for the Grog Shop.

A fourth reason, and vastly more important than any possible monetary gain or loss: Who is going to supply the material to enable the licensee to get his returns to pay his fee of, say \$250 and profits to run his first-class Junction Hotel? For be it remembered it is claimed a license is necessary to success. Some of you have boys, will it be your boy, or your neighbor's? It must be somebody's boy. Should such a saloon be opened in our midst, will it be your desire to find your boy spending his time in the vicinity of the bar? Ah! my friend this is a tremendous question. I beseech you carefully consider it in all its bearings.

Poor Logic.

These are only some of the reasons I adduce. I can scarcely understand the logic of some of the letters in The JOURNAL. I think that all tell us they us they are pronounced temperance men, and are in full sympathy with the position taken by the editor, and yet they want a license granted to run a hotel; moreover, Rock Island and Stanstead are disposing of liquor which brings its degrading results to our village, therefore let us have this liquor with all these bad results nearer our homes, aye, in our own village. This reminds me of the fallacies in logic, I was taught in my school days: White is a color; black is a color therefore black is white. To have conclusions right let us look well to our premises. My hearers, I have endeavored to put this question before you calmly, and dispassionately in only some of its bearings; I claim the right of private opinion on this, as other questions; I also gladly concede that right to others. I respect the man of decided convictions, though we may not agree in our opinions. Let every man be fully persuaded in his own mind. To his own Master he standeth or falleth in the word of the Apostle to the Romans. This is my closing word to you to-night. Remember the great issues at stake, ere you act, and that it will be an awful thing to fall before our master. May God give us each, and all, wisdom and strength to meet these tremendous issues aright." At the close of his sermon Mr. Fisher recommended a careful reading of all that has been written on the subject and published in this paper.

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Mr. Dalziel has written another letter bearing on the license question at Beebe. His present attitude is that non-residents should take no part in the discussion. So far at least as this journal is concerned, we cannot agree with Mr. Dalziel. A newspaper is supposed to be conducted in the interest of the public and our field is by no means restricted to one municipality. While we have no desire to dictate a policy to any one, we consider it our right, privilege and duty to discuss questions affecting the public welfare, not only in this municipality but throughout the county. Furthermore we were, as Mr. Dalziel well knows, distinctly challenged to enter this particular discussion. Had we refused, we would have been called a coward. Since our columns have been opened to all comers, we do not see how any man can reasonably accuse us of being unfair. One remarkable feature of Mr. Dalziel's letter is that it makes no attempt to disprove any of the many arguments advanced against license, contradicting only a minor detail of the communication from Mr. McIntosh. Mr. Dalziel says, in effect, at least: (1) "You know nothing about our conditions." (2) "We want no advice from outsiders." (3) "We will not believe without trying." If that be the attitude of the Beebe council it seems to us to be both unwise and dangerous. We need only to point to what has been the fate of both people and nations who refused to heed timely warning or profit by the experience or example of others. We regard the communications from outside sources as of great value because they reflect present-day public opinion. "None of us liveth to himself." As to knowledge of conditions, Beebe is not so very far away from this earth after all; then too, those who have taken part in the discussion at least know what the pro-license correspondents have said about local conditions and the discussion has mostly been based upon these statements. If your neighbor should challenge you to a debate, then accuse you of "butting in" and tell you to shut up because you knew nothing about the subject, which was of no concern to you any way, you might be inclined to consider his attitude an evidence of weakness. There is in Canada a national association of municipalities, delegates from over the country meeting annually for the interchange of ideas, in other words, to advise and receive advice. When we have reached that self-satisfied state where we think we can learn nothing from our fellow men, and scoff at advice, we are nearing a danger point. The attitude of some of Beebe's citizens who claim to be temperance men and yet want a legalized booze shop in their midst is somewhat like the child that cannot be kept out of the fire until burned to death. "You expect us to believe all these things without trying to see if the hotel can run the town," writes our correspondent. "Majority rule" and "submission to the will of the people" have been prominently featured by the pro-license party. The arguments, however, lose much of their strength in view of Mr. Berry's revelations published elsewhere in this paper. By these it would appear that the famous petition was supported by only 105 out of a total of 214 qualified electors, and by only 56 out of a total of 131 real estate owners, the aggregate valuation of the 56 being only \$75,000, out of a total valuation of \$220,000. A petition of this sort should not seriously worry a staunch temperance council—even if voluntarily signed. In his communication, Mr. Dalziel assures us that the majority are temperate people, and that they will allow no hotel or single corporation (?) to control affairs! It takes a pretty weak-kneed temperance man to support a "booze" license these days, and we are not altogether confident of their ability to "control" the saloon and "regulate" the sale of

booze any better than people in the old license towns. They remind us somewhat of the faint-hearted elector who belongs to one political party and votes for the other. There are a few points about Mr. Dalziel's letter which do not appear quite clear to us. If, when he states that no single corporation will be allowed to control affairs, he has reference to the Granite Company, it seems to us that he is unfair to the man at the head of that industry. Mr. McIntosh, like other men, has a right to express his opinions. In an industrial sense, he is the "man who made Beebe," and his opinions should be entitled to respect. His present pay-roll is something like \$100,000.00 a year. Mr. McIntosh has had broad experience as an employer of men and ought to know more about what is good or bad for his business than anybody else does. If he is firmly convinced that a license will be detrimental to his business interests what sense is there in trying to make him think that it will be a good thing? To-day practically all large employers of men, except brewers and distillers, are opposed to license. Why? Mainly because they know that a license will lessen the efficiency of their employes. They know also that the nearer the booze-shop is to the works the more serious will be the effect. But Mr. McIntosh is capable of fighting his own battles. To us talk of "playing the game squarely" sounds like the biggest joke yet. Who ever heard of the whiskey game being played squarely?

In connection with the Beebe license controversy, a resident of Sherbrooke, who was a caller at the JOURNAL office, Saturday, quoted the late Chief Davidson as having said to the City Council:

"Gentlemen,—If you will shut up your bars I will shut up your jail."

Chief Davidson was a man of large experience in police work, and probably understood better than any other man in his city the relation of drink and crime. Some may ask why the Council did not follow the chief's suggestion, thus effecting a great civic economy. Was it not because the liquor interests had so strongly entrenched themselves as to make this action practically impossible? We repeat our warning of October 23rd.

"Preventing the establishment of a saloon and uprooting one already established are problems of an altogether different sort."

DRASTIC CHANGES PROPOSED.
A recent despatch from Quebec says: "The gradual abolition of the bar in hotels, the collection of revenue, not by the sale of licenses for a fixed amount, but on a percentage basis, and the reduction of licenses in the cities and towns of the province, it is believed, will be found among the recommendations in the report that the License Commission, appointed by Sir Lomer Gouin, to consider the liquor question in Quebec, is now preparing, and which the session of the Legislature, which opens on November 18, is to consider. Legislation dealing with these points is expected to provide an interesting struggle in the House."

The exact nature of the recommendations that the Commission will make will not be known until its report is tabled, but it is taken for granted that they will suggest legislation of a most drastic character. It is thought that instead of the bar, hotels will be compelled to establish cafes with tables and chairs after the fashion of the European resorts.

Officials of the Government here who have discussed the possibility of the change in the present system of getting revenue from the license fees think that more money would be secured by assessing hotels on the amount of business done.

It is thought that changes in the license law will only be made gradually and that hotel proprietors will only be forced to accept them when a renewal of a license is asked for."

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Sewing machines valued at \$10,000,000 were exported from this country in 1913, more than \$4,000,000 worth going to Europe.

Redmond Prindle, aged 88, who was a printer's "devil" on Chicago's first newspaper and who brought the first steam locomotive to Chicago, has died there.

TRAPS AND SNARES.

Preacher Used "Object Lesson" Method to Good Advantage.

AN INTERESTING ADDRESS.

The service at Centenary Methodist Church Sunday morning was unique, instructive and interesting. The pastor, Rev. T. A. Halpenney, B.A., took for his text Jeremiah 5:26: "For among my people are found wicked men; that lay wait, as he that setteth snares; they set a trap, they catch men."

At the outset the preacher expressed his intention of making his remarks so plain that they might be understood by a child, and while this idea was successfully carried out, the address contained much thought-provoking material and proved of intense interest to adults. "Traps and snares" was the subject, and by the "object lesson" method Mr. Halpenney caught the attention of the large congregation at the beginning and held it to the last. He first showed an ordinary wire snare, the uses of which, he said, were familiar to any boy brought up on a farm. After a brief description of these, he exhibited a common mousetrap. These were harmless in appearance, but in use decidedly the reverse from the standpoint of the animals they were intended to catch.

Traps must appear harmless, must have an attractive bait, must be set in a place frequented by animals. No one would think of suspending a trap from the ceiling or baiting it with a piece of potato or cork. With the mousetrap results were obtained by using as bait a piece of cheese—perhaps toasted a little to make it still more attractive, and the trap placed in the cupboard where the mouse would most likely go.

In catching some kinds of wild animals traps must be entirely concealed. Successful trappers sometimes greased their hands, and even wore wooden soles on their feet so that the wary animal might not detect the scent and become suspicious of his human foe.

Referring to the text again, the preacher said: "There are three traps of which I want to speak this morning. Keep in mind the three necessities of successful trapping—Innocent looking, an attractive bait, the victim's path."

Producing a pack of cards, he continued: "Surely they are innocent looking." Many times he had heard people say they could see no harm in a friendly game of cards. "I can see no harm in a friendly game," said the preacher, "if you can be sure that you are not setting the trap which may some day spring shut." I have been told that so far has this friendly game gone in certain parts of the country that the social group would not think of playing without some small stakes—it makes it more exciting, they say. People sometimes cut up paper and play for these chips. Still there is no harm, you say. Granted that, but are you not cultivating a taste for gambling, and can you guarantee that your boy will always be satisfied to play in good company? In this land of ours we need to cry beware of anything that savors of gambling." The speaker told of a football match at McGill University at which \$8,000 changed hands; also of a Toronto bank clerk, who had been betting at the Woodbine races, lost heavily and ended in prison as the result of embezzling the bank's funds. "In every part of our land our splendid youth are being destroyed by gambling," said he. The preacher related Dr. Sun Yet Sen's account of a Chinese lad who murdered his father, both he and an uncle being executed and the six nearest neighbors banished, the idea being that they were particularly responsible for the crime. The speaker also quoted the old Jewish law, found in Deuteronomy, where, in the case of death under suspicious circumstances the elders and judges were required to measure distance to surrounding cities, the idlers of the place nearest the suspected tragedy being compelled to prove their innocence.

"When we look at the gambling tragedies recorded in almost every issue of the press, and we gather to measure the distance from those slain to the cause of their downfall, who is guilty?"

The power of example, the responsibility of parents, officials, prominent citizens, legislators and the church were here earnestly and ably set forth. Continuing the preacher said: "Things have an association from which they cannot easily rid themselves. These are the tools of the gambler. Can you guarantee that cards in the home will not be as a trap?"

The next object shown was a package of cigarettes. Certainly they were innocent looking.

"Father smokes, why should I not?" asks the boy. The preacher admitted that there was no great harm in cigarettes apart from physical injury. But the cigarette habit interfered with the boy's prospects of getting desirable employment, because employers invariably shunned the yellow fin-

gered youth. The preacher disclaimed any leaning to Puritanism, saying that he could never think that a man could not be a Christian and smoke. But the smoking habit represented an enormous waste. The last available returns showed that 3.01 lbs. of tobacco was consumed in Canada for every one of the 9,000,000 men women and children in the country. At 30 cents a pound this would represent a waste of over \$7,200,000. Men sometimes scolded about the cost of their wives hats, but the millinery bill was not a circumstance to the money puffed up in smoke every year; then there was something to show for the former.

The cigarette consumption in 1911 was 565,935,770; in 1912, 782,663,841. The effect of tobacco was as apparent upon manners as upon morals. The preacher objected to being compelled to take into his lungs what had been in another man's mouth.

So long as men would smoke they should have a place for smoking—and some did. There were some gentlemen who smoke, but we were rapidly getting where Europe is. It was hard to find a coach not marked for smoking. Travelers had been reminded of the commendable attitude of some of the western states by signs in cars which read: "No cigarettes sold in Nevada, Nebraska or Washington."

The second trap was innocent looking because of the example of others; boys did not take to smoking or drinking at first because they like it.

The third object shown was a very innocent looking chocolate drop—originally a brandy chocolate drop. This had been obtained from the Montreal Court House at the time of the big fight over this "trap" a few years ago. The preacher announced his intention of reserving much of what he had to say upon the drink question for use during the pending campaign. He read the following specimen advertisement:

"Wanted—One hundred boys for new customers. Most of our old customers are dropping out. Ten committed suicide last week. Twenty are in jail. Eight are in the chain gang. Fifteen were sent to the poor house. One was hanged. Three were sent to the insane asylum. Most of the balance are not worth much. Come and join us or we will have to shut up."

The implied source of such an advertisement will be readily understood.

Speaking of no-license, the preacher said some people were arguing that it meant increased sales of liquors. Figures contained in the Brewers Year Book were a distinct contradiction of this claim. According to these figures the consumption in nine prohibition states was 1.35 gallons per capita per year; in 15 states part "wet," part "dry," 4.37 gallons; in 27 license states 25.23 gallons per capita per year.

As concerning the rising sentiment against drinking the speaker said that a year or two ago when Col. Roosevelt was accused of being intoxicated he took action in the courts to remove the stain from his character. Until within a comparatively few years no notice would have been taken of such an accusation.

Illustrating the matter of responsibility, Mr. Halpenney pictured a chain of Alpine climbers. The failure of one to put his feet in the places of safety might mean disaster and death to all.

Then came the story of the "chip off the old block," and the preacher thought it advisable for some to look well after themselves to-day lest their children be called chips off the old stumbling-block in the future.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

The Countess of Carlisle has again been elected president of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union.

It is not probable that any American ship will ever derive any benefit from the 5 per cent preferential clause of the new tariff law as a virtual nullification of the clause has been decided on by the Washington Administration. The question has been under advisement for some weeks.

BORN.

CHARMS—At Canyon, Colorado, Oct. 24, 1913, a son to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Charms, (nee Jessie Morrill), formerly of Way's Mills.

WILSON—At Fitch Bay, Que., Nov. 7, 1913, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilson.

MARRIED.

SAYBALL—YOUNG—At Newport, Vt., Nov. 10, 1913, by the Rev. E. N. Jocelyn, Mr. Earl Sayball and Miss Doris B. Young, both of Derby, Vt.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of Rosie Lee Burgess, who departed this life Nov. 19, 1912.

There is a vacant place by the fireside,
To night as we're sitting here,
And we think of her in Heaven,
The one to us so dear.
She has passed the dark death valley,
Where saints have passed before,
She has crossed the deep dark river,
And reached the shining shore.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

GEO. P. COFRAN AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE.

Of Real Estate and Personal Property. On account of sickness I shall sell all my property as at my farm, located in the village of Derby, Center and West Charleston, on Saturday, November 15, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m. The farm consists of 110 acres of good fertile soil suitably divided into tillage, pasture and woodland. There is a good sugar pine all rigged for 500 trees and more can be tapped. There is a lot of wood and quite a lot of timber, and good water at both house and barn. The house is all in good shape, both inside and out. There are two good barns and other out buildings. This is one of the best located farms in Derby, and has only to be seen to be appreciated. The personal property consists of 9 Young Cows; these cows are all due to freshen in the early winter and the oldest cow is 7 years old; 3 two-year-old Heifers, due to freshen in the early spring; two Heifer Calves, and 1 registered Jersey Bull, 3 years old; 1 Grey Horse, six years old, a good worker and driver, weight about 1100, sound and safe; 1 Sheat and 6 Hens; 1 Mower, 1 Rake, 1 Plow, 1 Disc and 1 Smoothing Harrow, 1 Cultivator, 1 two-horse Lumber Wagon, 1 set Double Sies, 1 Pump, 1 Charles Separator, 1 pr. Work Harnesses, 1 Spring Harness, 1 Boat, 2 M. Shingles, a lot of Cedar posts and stakes, 60 Bu. Potatoes, a lot of dairy tools and all small farming tools usually found on a well stocked farm, a lot of Household Furniture, consisting of chamber suite, etc., 25 tons of Choice Hay, and the Straw and Oats from 6 acres of land. The tools, both on the farm and at the sugar place are all new; bought within last 3 years. This sale is positive as I am to leave at once on account of my health. Lunch will be served at noon.

TERMS: On personal property, \$10 and \$20 cash; over that amount 3 months time on bankable notes. On real estate \$100 down, balance can remain on mortgage.

GEO. P. COFRAN, Auctioneer.
L. O. LUXFORD, Clerk.

FARM FOR SALE.

Desirable 50 acre farm, four miles from Stanstead on Fairfax road, splendid land. Running water at house and barn. Low price for immediate sale.

E. O. VANOUR, Fairfax, Que.
P. O. Address, R. M. D. No. 2, Stanstead.

If you have Eye Troubles

Headaches, Blurred Vision, or any Difficulty of that nature, do not delay until the disorder becomes chronic, consult

DR. A. W. DuBois

AT THE DERBY LINE HOTEL
November 17, 18, 19 and 20.

Consultation and advice free; eyes properly fitted at moderate charges.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the public, that Charles Lunt, retired farmer, Charles Carpenter, retired merchant, Charles N. Hill, Supt. International Water Company and W. Clark Hopkins, merchant, all Deacons of the Stanstead South Congregational Church in the municipality of Rock Island, Township of Stanstead, District of St. Francis, Province of Quebec, the duly elected and empowered agents of the said Church to act for said Church in matters of a Grant of Union and Incorporation; and Gen. F. G. Butterfield, merchant, Col. H. S. Haskoll, gentleman, and F. A. Taylor, farmer, members of, and the duly elected and empowered agents of the Stanstead South Congregational Church-Society of said Rock Island, to act for said Society in matters of a Grant of Union and Incorporation, all of the above named gentlemen being residents of said Rock Island or of the village of Derby Line, Township of Derby, County of Orleans and State of Vermont, one the United States of America, or of said Derby, will apply to the Honorable Lieutenant Governor in Council of the Province of Quebec, after the present notice has been published for four consecutive weeks in the "Quebec Official Gazette" and in the "Stanstead Journal" asking for a Grant of Union and Incorporation under the name of the "Stanstead South Congregational Church," under, and in conformity with, the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, (1909).
By order of the Committee.
O. M. CARPENTER, Sec'y-Treas.
Rock Island, Que., Nov. 4, 1913. 514

The Caswell & O'Rourke Store Co.

GENERAL STORE

OUR Furniture Store is stocked with Christmas Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc. We have a very large assortment of new Furniture and sold at regular store prices, no furniture store prices asked here. We deliver anywhere and pay duty for Canadian customers and then save you some money.

New Linoleum, Crex Grass Rugs, No Fade Matting and the largest assortment of Beds and Mattresses outside the city.

A Brass Bed, regular \$12.50 value at \$9.75

Our basement is crowded with Housekeeping Goods. Buy a Gem Ash Sifter and save fuel. A 10c. counter with 25c. goods on it. Sleds, Skates, Traps, Oil Heaters for cold rooms \$2.50 each. 3-Burner Perfection Oil Heaters \$10.00. Liquid Veneer, 20c. bottle.

AND EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

The Caswell & O'Rourke Store Co.
DERBY LINE, VERMONT

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Every good housekeeper feels like making the house just a little more attractive and home-like at Thanksgiving. This Store is prepared to assist in this good work.

HANDSOME DAMASK

This is the first and most important thing required. You will find Damasks here at 35c., 45c., 50c., 59c., 65c., 69c., 75c., 85c., 95c., \$1.19 and up.

NAPKINS

Patterns to match all the better grades of damask, priced at 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and up to \$7.50 a dozen.

DAMASK SETS

Very Special Values, \$5.00, \$7.95 and \$10.95.

TABLE SILVER

Guaranteed to wear for 25 years, very handsome new design.
Knives or Forks, priced at \$2.00 a set
Teaspoons, " 1.25 "
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WALDORF PATTERN CUT GLASS

Tumblers priced 75c. a set | 7 pce. Berry Set, priced \$2.75 a set
Olive Dishes " 75c. each | Sugar and Cream Set, 25c. small s.
Comports, " 75c. " | " " " 75c. large s.
Water Pitchers, " 75c. " | Vinegar Jugs, 75c. each

AN EXTREMELY DAINTY AND PRETTY PATTERN OF NEW CHINA

There is absolutely nothing cheap about this china except the price as it is nice enough to use with much more expensive ware. All articles except the covered dishes, large platters and pitchers, priced at 10c. each.

RUGS

There must be the need of a carpet size rug for some room, and we are prepared to fill any rug want you may have at the very lowest possible price. A number of customers have told us this fall that they had selected rugs from catalogues, but that they would be glad to see our rugs and in every instance we have sold them. Remember \$10.00 buys a good Tapestry Rug, 9x12 size, and all other sizes are just as cheap.

FINE TAILORED SUITS

All wool materials, silk linings, many of them worth \$15.00, now all at one price, \$10.00.
\$25.00 buys the best suit in the store now, some of them have been marked as high as \$42.50.

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A lot at \$1.00 have as handsome handles as you would expect to find on much more expensive umbrellas and are covered with good fast black serge.

There is nothing better for a Christmas gift than an umbrella and our Christmas stock is already in, so you can make your selection before the rush.

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All Growing Children
are dependent on nourishment for growth. Their health as men and women is largely established in childhood.

If your child is languid, bloodless, tired when rising, without ambition or rosy cheeks, Scott's Emulsion is a wonderful help. It possesses nature's grandest body-building fats so delicately predigested that the blood absorbs its strength and carries it to every organ and tissue and fibre.

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No alcohol or narcotic in Scott's Emulsion, just purity and strength.

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tions a specialty.

NORTH HATLEY.

The rummage sale held by the members of the W. C. T. U. at the vestry of the Universalist church last week Friday, was a great success financially and socially. The sale began at noon and was well patronized. The ladies had gathered a large quantity of clothing, shoes, rubbers, hats, and personal apparel of all kinds and it found ready purchasers. The net proceeds were nearly sixty dollars.

Karl Mantague, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jedd K. Kezar was christened by Rev. E. E. Marggraf, Sunday afternoon, Nov. 9th.

Mrs. Jane Bean, widow of the late Mr. Elwin Bean has sold her fine estate on the Hatley road, one quarter of a mile South of the village. The location is one of the best rural places, combining the advantages of the country and village and the farm a splendid one. For years it has been a popular summer home for visitors from Montreal and elsewhere, and many members of the summer colony will regret the change the disposal of this place means. We are informed that Mrs. Bean will probably not leave this village.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Order of Foresters was held at the village hall Monday evening. This has become one of the enjoyable events in the social life of the village. This year it was more attractive than ever. The ladies had prepared a most elaborate supper and about one hundred and eighty took tea. Turcotte's orchestra was present and played throughout the evening. Miss Laura Reed entertained the company with a most amusing recitation finely personated. Clifford force sang a solo and Mr. Admont C. LeBaron, the motion picture man, was present with a fine lot of films, new interesting and instructive. These motion pictures were one of the features of the evening. The party danced from ten until twelve-thirty. The proceeds to the treasury of the Order was about \$50, after paying all expenses.

The Ladies Society of the Universalist church meets this week with Mrs. Jane Bean and this will be the last meeting at her present home. Dinner will be served.

The new choir at the evening worship at the Universalist church now has ten members. Those who attend the evening services declare the singing most edifying. Miss Joice Reed is instructress and rehearsals are held every Friday evening at her rooms at the Leon Bean house, Crescent St.

Mr. Oral Bean has disposed of his house near Reed's Crossing and on Wednesday of last week had an auction and disposed of his household furniture. He and his two daughters, Arline and Iva, are now boarding at the home of Mr. Carlton Turner.

The North Hatley Board of Trade met at the office of Mr. H. E. Blossom Friday evening, with President Robert Dick in the chair. Matters of much interest were discussed which will probably develop into affairs of interest to the village in the future.

The real trouble with the income tax so far as it affects the great majority of Americans is that there is no source at which collection can be made.

Bresette Corner, Way's Mills, Barnston, North Stanstead, Massawippi, Smith's Mills, Graniteville, Dufferin Avenue, Kingscroft, Compton, Georgeville, Heathton, items on second and sixth pages.

AYER'S CLIFF.

There are still many cases of measles in and near the village but all are doing fairly well. The case of scarlet fever reported has recovered and no further cases have been heard of.

The funeral of Mrs. Salmon, from Stearnsville, was held at the Union church, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. C. Moore officiating. Mrs. Salmon, who was among the old residents of this town, had suffered a long and painful illness. She leaves a husband who is in very poor health; a sister, Mrs. Brooks from Glover, Vt.; two brothers; an adopted son, Mr. Henry Salmon, with whom they had lived lately, and an adopted daughter in Sherbrooke.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. C. H. Libby on Wednesday of this week.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Homer Rexford and Mrs. George Rexford at the home of the former on Tuesday, November 18th.

Mrs. H. G. Berry, who has been quite ill, is gaining again.

Mrs. Amy Pierce is reported very comfortable at the home of Mr. L. Hill at Boynton.

Mr. M. D. Bacon is having his house on Tyler St., raised and a wall built under it.

Mrs. H. G. Ayer is visiting relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Woodman of East Hatley was a recent guest of her friend, Mrs. H. G. Buck.

Mrs. S. E. Hill is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnston spent Sunday at their former home, Lennoxville.

Miss Manson of the Model School spent the week-end at Waterville.

Mr. Will Raymond is very ill with measles at the home of Mrs. Annie Phillips.

Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Lyon were in Sherbrooke on Monday.

There will be an oyster supper at the hall on Thursday night of this week, again by the ladies of the Guild.

Mrs. Flaws and children visited her parents, home in Knowlton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bartlett of Manchester, N. H., were recent guests at the homes of Mr. Wesley Cass and Mr. Wm. Chamberlain.

Mr. I. M. Wyman has taken a mail delivery route in Way's Mills and vicinity.

EAST BOLTON.

Misses E. Bryant and H. Channell of Sherbrooke spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Mrs. H. Bettington has returned home from Magog.

Mr. W. R. Ball, immigration officer, was in town on Thursday.

Miss S. Kimball returned to her home in Knowlton on Thursday after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. F. Patterson.

Miss Margaret Patterson was at Knowlton a couple of days recently.

Mr. Wm. E. Ewens of Eastman, formerly of this place, and Miss Alice Hopkins of Bristol, N. H., were married last Wednesday. Both young people are well known in these parts and their friends extend congratulations.

The Ladies Aid at Mrs. Bowker's last Wednesday was well attended. Some business and work was attended to at the meeting.

The annual S. S. Social will be held at the home of Mr. John Patterson on Friday evening, Nov. 14. Every one invited.

CASSVILLE.

Miss Mary Picard has been at home during the past week suffering from an attack of jaundice, but is convalescent at this writing.

Miss Annie Lyford of St. Johnsbury is spending a few days at her old home, the Lyford homestead.

Rev. Mr. McLaughlin of Barnston occupied the pulpit on Sunday and will also take the service next Sunday.

Those from a distance who attended church were Col. B. B. Morrill and mother, Mrs. H. P. Morrill of Rock Island, and Miss Elsie Robinson of Ayer's Cliff.

Mr. Joseph Turcotte has sold his farm to Mr. Taylor, formerly station agent at Smith's Mills, for the sum of \$4500, it is reported.

Mr. Elwood Powers of North Stanstead is threshing in the neighbourhood, with his gasoline engine.

On Friday a very large white owl thought to be about 2 ft. high and as a good sized turkey, was seen on the farms of Mr. Chas. Lawton and Mr. Geo. Curtis.

MARLINGTON.

There will be an oyster supper and dance at Parter's Hall, Thursday evening, Nov. 20th. All are cordially invited.

To Let—Six-room tenement in the Waldron block.

HANDS OFF BEEBE

DEAR MR. EDITOR:

After reading the varied letters in your valuable paper of recent dates signed Progressive, Farmer, I X L, etc., it was quite refreshing to see one signed by the man who wrote it, I mean Mr. John McIntosh, who has strength enough not to be ashamed of what he has written. Now, Mr. McIntosh is a very busy man, and I find he has quoted something he heard somebody say, that part re boarders. In talking with Mr. Perkins a few days ago, he denied making any such statement, and I feel sure that the party who declared that the Perkins Bros. would not take boarders must have had a pipe dream. The hotels at Rock Island take boarders—why not at Beebe? It strikes me as being very funny the advice that Beebe is receiving from people who do not live in this municipality. What do they know about our conditions? They know conditions as they see them in towns where they live or where they travel through. This same outcry has never been heard against places where they sell it without a licence. You say to us, "Do not take on this hotel scheme with a bar. It is a bad thing and a step backwards. Look at us in our misery. The hotels control the mayor, the council and we can do nothing, we are lost and you Beebe people will be the same as we are." That is about the argument you put to us and you expect us to believe all these things without trying ourselves to see if the Hotel can run the town. The majority rules in this place and I can assure they are temperate people and will allow no hotel or single corporation to control its affairs. It is said "There is always a scrap on in Beebe," and it is not a bad sign either as it shows there is no ring established to control public matters. Now, Mr. Editor, I am always willing to abide by the decision of the majority and I hope our opponents will do the same and play the game square, that is all we ask. A license cannot be procured unlawfully. Then why all this secret work with rubber shoes, one side has not all the virtues. If one thinks differently than we do, let us respect him and not call him hard names or class him in the drunkard class. It shows a smallness of spirit. With many thanks for your courtesies, I sign my name,

A. DALZIEL.

ANOTHER MAN OPPOSES LICENSE

DEAR EDITOR,—The movement in favor of license, started by a certain class of citizens of Beebe, presents a serious problem.

Whether Beebe will be able to procure a license or not, whether Beebe goes "wet" or "dry" seems to me to particularly concern those within the village limits. I stand ready to endorse Mr. McIntosh in his good sense for he realizes that a license would be detrimental to the concern he represents, which is Beebe's chief cornerstone of trade. It stands to reason that we already have too many booze sellers in this section for I can recall, through the memory of those older than I, four murders, say nothing of the assaults, all within thirty-five years, and every one committed under the influence of liquor. This is license, citizens of Beebe who are in favor of same.

Now, the question is, if Beebe got a license what would this vicinity be? We citizens who are not in favor of a license would have to suffer at the folly of those who want a license.

If you citizens who want a license cannot get up for an excuse anything better than you have already, for the sake of the respectable citizens, put up a fight for a "dry" Beebe and let your ministerialite, etc., go to Rock Island for lodging—if you cannot have an hotel without a license. Then just hunt out the man who is selling liquor without a license and let the law deal with him. But with such men who are in favor of license this man is safe—to the sorrow and insecurity of the respectable citizens.

BYSTANDER.

ENLIGHTENING STATISTICS.

Boston, Nov. 10, 1913.

Dear Mr. Editor,—I see that the Booze Argument goes merrily on. Please keep it going as long as you can, because we like to know as near as we can, just who the real men are. I inclose you some statistics which I shall be pleased to have you copy into your valuable paper, if you think they are as good as those that the Stanstead Junction man sent you. I will also state that I shall be pleased to furnish you many more, showing both sides of the question, if you and the readers would like to see them. If our friends (taking the opposite side) know of any that they would like to send you I will gladly procure them and send you if I can. I will also procure them for any School Teacher, Minister, Priest, Temperance Lecturer, Mayor of any Town, or to be used where they will enlighten the people.

Thanking you for the space, I am,

Yours truly,

C. E. HORN.

Note—The statistics enclosed were from Worcester and Weyburn, which will be found in this paper.

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C. A. JENKINS, Sec'y Treas.
Smith's Mills, Oct. 7th, 1913. 30w6

School Commissioners
Township of Stanstead

A meeting of the above named Board will be held at the Hotel Hall, Smith's Mills, on Monday, October 27th, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of general business.

C. A. JENKINS, Sec'y Treas.
Smith's Mills, Que., Oct. 22, 1913. 32

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BRITISH ARMY BANDS

Founding of Schools Followed Crimean War Incident

Students as Conductors—What May Be Seen at Kneller Hall, Where Bandmasters and Bandsmen Are Thoroughly Trained.

New York.—"Doing London" is certainly one of the hardest of hard tasks, writes a correspondent of the New York Evening Post. After a week or two of diligent sightseeing, with eyes and brain in an attitude of constant attention, the strenuous visitor is a fit candidate for a rest cure. If he is wise he will interrupt his program now and then by taking an afternoon off—for a lounge in the parks, a trip up the river or a quiet drive through Burnham Beeches. One of the pleasantest of these available breaks seems to be almost unknown to visitors, whether from the country or abroad. It is not advertised in the papers or mentioned in the guide books. To ninety-nine visitors out of a hundred who are familiar with the main attractions of London the name of Kneller Hall suggests no ideas.

In the grounds of this institution, which is the training school for English military bands, there is given every Wednesday afternoon from May to September (except on the last Wednesday in the month, when it is held in the evening), a concert of a unique type. A very brief railway journey from the city brings you either to Hounslow or Twickenham, with its associations of Alexander Pope and Horace Walpole. From either station it is only a short walk to Kneller Hall. Entering through lodge gates marked with the government "broad arrow," you pass through charming grounds, like those of an old country estate, up to a fine house occupying the site of the dwelling place of Sir Godfrey Kneller, who came here in 1709 that he might be near Hampton Court. If you are attending one of the evening concerts you will find the paths illuminated with hundreds of fairy lights and Chinese lanterns, many of them reflected in the waters of a miniature lake.

The whole scene has a delightfully sylvan effect. Paying twopenny for the program which admits you to a garden seat in the inclosure—there is a charge of threepence extra for the evening concert—you find yourself face to face not with the conventional bandstand, but with a rising platform erected in the gap between two lofty elms. On this platform are ranged the 160 performers with a remarkable variety of uniforms, differing, according to the regiments they represent. Among them is a turbaned negro from a colored regiment of West Africa or the West Indies. His instrument is not the banjo, but the solemn bassoon. Not far away is a Scotchman in kilts.

An average program consists of seven or eight items, with as many different conductors, each of them a student at the school. It is a fine opportunity for watching the possible varieties in conductors' mannerisms. The first piece is always a march composed by the student who conducts it. The character of the rest may be judged from a typical program; overture to "The Flying Dutchman," a selection of Brahms' melodies, Mozart's Jupiter symphony, Tchaikovsky's Casse-Noisette suite, three dances from German's "Nell Gwynne" and a waltz of Gungl's. What strikes the average hearer—who can make no claim to be a musical expert—with ever renewed astonishment in the exquisite delicacy of the effects obtained by a band composed almost entirely of wood and brass. The whisper that one usually associates with a pianissimo on the strings is produced on these instruments with a skill that seems almost magical. A great favorite with Kneller Hall audiences is a rather ad captandem descriptive piece entitled "The Mill in the Black Forest." The first time you hear it you wonder why the band is so long in beginning, although the conductor is already wielding his baton. There are some birds twittering in the trees just above, but all the instruments are silent. Presently it dawns upon you that the imaginary birds are actually bandsmen. This is followed by equally realistic imitations of the swish of water over a mill wheel and of the clank of machinery. The illusions are so perfect that by and by, when a dog happens to bark a little way off, it is with some surprise that you discover that the sound comes from a real dog and is not another tour de force of the musicians.

Freak Cat's Toes Tangled

Kent Hollow, Conn.—A cat has extra toes on its front paws that turn backward so that it has difficulty in letting go of things. A few days ago one got caught in the claws of the opposite hind foot and the cat had to hobble along on two feet until assistance was given and its feet unraveled.

Raccoon Mothers Guinea Fowls.

Monessen, Pa.—"Smoke," a pet raccoon belonging to Franklin Sauter has adopted a brood of young guinea hens, hatched in an oven at the Sauter home. Naturalists and woodsmen assert that it is the only known instance where a raccoon has overcome its natural instinct to kill all feathered creatures.

FOX SKELETON IN TREE FORK

Some Pennsylvania Naturalists Guess It Leaped There to Get Fowl and Missed.

Pittsburgh.—Local naturalists are guessing how the skeleton of a fox got in the forks of a tree on the Clarion river, near Cooksburg. The skeleton was discovered by Charles Garland, a member of the Edgewood troop, Boy Scouts, in the course of a nature study ramble with his comrades.

The Scouts, during the weeks spent in the woods and fields, took every opportunity to study the ways of birds and animals, the characteristics of tree and plant life. They found bones of animals occasionally which they classified, but the fox skeleton was the prize naturalistic discovery of the amateur research party. The skeleton was that of a fox full grown and perfectly formed.

Foxes, as the Scout naturalists had often read, burrow holes in the ground for their homes. Rarely are they known to leap into a tree except perhaps as a last resort when hunted by dogs. As the boys sat around the campfire evenings they spun theories as to the possible fate of reynard. A few thought the fox had jumped into the tree to elude pursuers, had become caught in the forks of the tree and had starved to death. Others surmised the animal, sick or wounded, had climbed the tree and had chosen the two forks as its deathbed.

Still others advanced the explanation that the sly and crafty terror of barnyards had jumped into the tree to catch a stray fowl alighting on its branches and had slipped into the forks, which proved a trap from which there was no escape.

INVENTS A FREAK AIRSHIP

Carl Browne, the Odd Old Californian, Says He Has Solved Safe Aerial Travel Problem.

Los Angeles.—Carl Browne, the odd old Californian, says that he has solved the problem of safe aerial travel. His machine is built on the principle of the monoplane, but instead of having one fixed plane at the forward end has eight revolving ones, four on each side. Any two of these will act as the fixed plane of the monoplane. When the aviator encounters strong cross currents of air Browne claims that instead of the machine being overturned that the planes will merely re-



Carl Browne and His Octoplane.

volve and the "octoplane" will proceed on an even keel. Another feature claimed for the invention is that the blast of air from the propeller will be conserved by the slanting planes and will provide a "river of air" on which the machine will ride. Browne's parachute attachment he says will open and allow the "octoplane" to gently descend to earth from a height as low as a hundred feet.

MANIAC GUIDES SHIP TO RUIN

When Captain Leaves Bark Insane Man Takes Command and Sails Away.

Philadelphia.—Somewhere in the Atlantic ocean, mastered by a maniac and manned by a frightened crew, the Norwegian bark Ravensport is rushing to destruction, according to a story told here by Captain Jansen of the steamship Admiral Schley, which arrived from Jamaica.

The Ravensport was bound from Dunkirk, Scotland, to a Gulf port. On the voyage a giant Swede sailor became insane and cut and slashed the crew at will. He was captured and confined after two of the crew had been seriously injured. Captain Duus, master of the ship, put off in a small boat for Buff bay to get medical aid.

Just as the yawl reached shore the maniac broke loose and commanded the crew to raise anchor. When they were unable to do so he ordered the chain broken. When Captain Duus saw his ship sailing away he started in pursuit in the small boat. A chase of ten miles wore out the men who were rowing and they were forced to turn back. Captain Duus believes that the maniac is speeding the ship to destruction on the shores of Cuba. The Ravensport is a steel bark of 1,642 gross tons and is owned by Grestan & Norlofean of Arendal, Norway.

Makes Speed Record

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Col. J. L. Smith, sixty-nine, of Detroit, who is attending the G. A. R. encampment here, ran 140 yards in 17 seconds during the athletic meet. The world's record is 13 seconds.

GRANITEVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Converse of Way's Mills and two children were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Moir, coming by automobile.

Master Lyle Reed, second son of Mr. R. M. Reed was very sick the latter part of last week. Dr. Gillilan was called.

Miss Edith Bachelder of Stanstead spent the most of last week with Mrs. Geo. Moir.

Miss Christie Judd of North Troy, Vt., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Blair, for a few days.

Miss Richardson of Georgeville visited the Misses Muriel and Flora Blair during the week-end.

The I. O. F. will attend divine service here next Sunday, Nov. 16th, at the regular hour of service, 2 p. m. Rev. G. W. Fisher will give an address.

Master Cecil Guerin celebrated his eighth birthday on Sunday, Nov. 9th, by having his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reed, and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tilton, as guests. That which pleased him most was a birthday cake which his mother had made him. He received several nice presents and had a very enjoyable day. We wish him many happy birthdays.

GEORGEVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wiggins and Miss Pauline, who have lately returned from North Battleford, were calling on friends here last week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Forbes on the advent of a young son born Nov. 9th. Mrs. Forbes and children are stopping with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Achilles.

Mr. W. A. Murray was in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davidson visited in West Derby and Derby Line over Saturday and Sunday.

The Ladies Guild gave a very successful oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw last week.

Quite a large quantity of young fish was deposited in the lake here this week. It looks as if we might have good fishing soon.

HEATHTON.

Miss Ivy Hastings is visiting relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Miss Pearl Walker spent two days with Mrs. Corliss last week.

Mrs. J. C. Bullock entertained the young people at her home on Friday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Williams of Hatley preached here on Sunday.

The Ladies Aid at Mrs. Ellis's was very successful. There were many visitors present.

MOIR SIXTY-SIXTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Hon. and Mrs. W. J. Moir Celebrate Unusual Anniversary of Their Marriage, October 27th.

The following is clipped from an Iowa paper: Hon. and Mrs. W. J. Moir celebrated the sixty-sixth anniversary of their wedding at their home in West Eldora in a very pleasant manner Monday evening, October 27th. In honor of the occasion a family dinner was enjoyed. A delicious repast was served. Dainty hand-painted place cards with autumn designs and the name of the bride and groom were used. There were present Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Moir, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moir, Mrs. Clara Foster of Mason City, Geo. Brooks and daughters Vivian and Marjorie. Compliments of the day were sent by John Foster Brooks, Mr. Moir's eight-pound grandson who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brooks Monday morning.

Hon. W. J. Moir and Olive Jane Ball were married in Canada in 1847. Mrs. Moir was sixteen years old at the time of the wedding and Mr. Moir, twenty three. The house in which the Ball family lived at that time was of especial interest because of its location. It was on the border line between Canada and Vermont with the same number of rooms in each territory. At that time a marriage license cost ten dollars in Canada and a dollar and a half in Vermont. Mr. and Mrs. Moir were married at Stanstead Plain, Canada, Rev. R. V. Hall officiating.

Mr. Moir came to Canada from Scotland when about six years of age. He celebrated his 89th birthday last week.

VERMONT ITEMS.

It is reported that C. N. Brady has made an offer of his entire real estate in Newport to the hotel committee for \$25,000 on condition that the property is used for hotel purposes. It is also reported that the Memphremagog house site can be purchased under the same condition.

F. O. Clark, who has been in business at St. Johnsbury for 32 years, is retiring this week from active business life. He went to St. Johnsbury from West Charleston in 1876, just after the big fire at the Fairbanks Scale works, and after five years with that company opened his stationery and periodical store.

VERMONT ITEMS.

Ex-Gov. and Mrs. George H. Prouty, of Newport, have returned home from their European trip.

F. W. Chappell, of West Burke, has a cow which in the past year has given 10,717 pounds of milk, from which 645 pounds butter were made.

Harvey E. Averill who has been a teacher and assistant principal at Goddard Seminary, Barre, has resigned to enter the People's National Bank of Barre.

Edward A. Mason, pastor of the Baptist church at Saxtons River, for the past five years, has tendered his resignation, to take effect November 23 when he will do some work in connection with the Kurn Hattin homes at Westminister.

At a dinner given Capt. and Mrs. Frank Tompkins by the trustees and professors of Norwich University, Northfield, a loving cup was presented to the university since 1910, who left a few days later to join his regiment, the Tenth Cavalry, for service on the Mexican border.

Miss Cora Towne, aged 24 years, is reported at the St. Johnsbury hospital to be dying from poison which according to a statement she is alleged to have made to Sheriff W. H. Worthen, was forced upon her by Fred Flynn, a chauffeur. Flynn is confined in the Caledonia county jail awaiting an investigation of the case by the county officials.

A Bay state resident asserts that he visited Vermont last summer and in the hotel where he stopped he was served corn that was canned in Maine the year before, and this right in the midst of the corn season. Here's a little tip to Vermont hotel and boarding-house keepers. Live up to expectations. It pays.

The Vermont Bible Society, of which the Rev. H. A. Durfee, of Burlington, is corresponding secretary and agent, has donated 120 Bibles to the Kurn Hattin Home for Boys at Westminister, as permanent, individual gifts to the boys. Provision will be made by the society to keep a supply of Bibles for distribution to the boys as their personal property.

A large force of men has been employed this fall in constructing two miles of the state road in the southern part of the town of Ryegate which will cost at least \$5,000 and rank as one of the best and most expensive stretches of highway in the state. William Thompson, of Ryegate, county highway commissioner, has charge of the work and the town pays the major portion of the expense.

Sunday Evening Service in Theater.

The first of a series of Sunday evening services at the Globe moving picture theater, St. Johnsbury, was held Sunday night by the pastor of the South Congregational church, the Rev. Paul Dwight Moody, son of the famous evangelist, the late Dwight L. Moody.

Notwithstanding the fact that all the other churches had their regular services at the same hour, nearly 400 people filled the little theater and heard a powerful sermon on the miracle of the blind man receiving his sight because his faith had made him whole. Gospel hymns were used throughout the service, which was attended by many not usually seen at regular services.

The South Congregational church will hold Sunday evening services at the theater throughout November. There will be no attempt to introduce moving pictures, the idea being simply to see whether or not non-churchgoers will attend religious service held in the down-town sections frequented by many persons Sunday nights.

Vermont Has More Cattle.

[St. Johnsbury Caledonia.] "The shipment of 2,153 head of live stock from St. Johnsbury to the Brighton, Mass., market in a single week, was a record breaker for that particular line of business, but the question naturally arises, how long can this kind of a raid continue and leave any sheep and cattle on the Vermont hills?"

The liberality with which this editorial from the Brattleboro Reformer has been quoted indicates a general apprehension that the Vermont farmer may have sold himself short on cattle. This fear is unfounded for the territory from which this large shipment of cattle was secured has stock enough left to produce as large or larger shipments another season. The record business of the past month does not indicate a robbery of Vermont fields, but rather a healthy growth in the production of live stock.

[Bradford Opinion]

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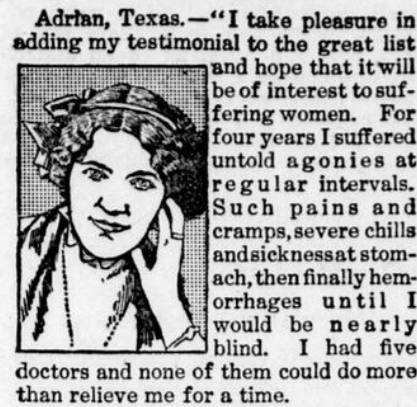
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TEMPERANCE NOTES

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

ALCOHOL PROBLEM IN EUROPE.

Replying to misleading statements made by James Creelman with regard to intemperance in European countries, Mrs. Martha M. Allen, superintendent of the Medical Temperance Department of the World's and National W. C. T. U., calls attention to the following facts:

"It was in Paris that the municipal posters warning against alcoholic liquors of all sorts originated. These posters were prepared by physicians connected with the municipal government and were placed in conspicuous positions throughout the city, even upon the outer walls of the Hotel de Ville (City Hall). These posters warn specifically against wine, beer and cider as leading to alcoholism as surely as brandy. So violent was the opposition to the liquor trade to the posters that they were withdrawn, but other countries took up that method of propaganda against alcohol, notably Germany, England and Denmark.

"That there is an acute alcoholic problem in Europe may be readily seen from the holding every two years of a congress on alcoholism, whose delegates, appointed by the governments of different countries, meet to discuss methods of reducing the drink evils which are injuring the health and efficiency of the people. It is likely that such meetings would be held were there no drunkenness, or crime resulting from drunkenness, in these countries?

"It is far from correct to say that the use of the lighter drinks drives out the stronger drinks."

RANGE LIGHTS.

A hundred years ago the hands of ancient privilege were at the throat of the republic. Our ships were seized and searched. American citizens were impressed into an alien service. Our capital was burned. Despair was clutching at our hearts.

The British guns were not our greatest peril, but the love of money in the seaboard states. Six thousand of our men were enslaved in British ships, but the patriotic indignation that stirred the rural communities did not touch the heart of the states that made their money on the sea. The sense of brotherhood was smothered in the love of money.

Now, as then, the love of money flouts the love of men. The yellow patriotism of gold sneers at the struggles of the people for a fair chance. Let them be wretched; let them be drunken, it says, while I exploit their savings for my own use, and turn their earnings into my own tills. This, too, will pass—a passing. This will be the land of the fair deal. This is the land of opportunity.—John G. Woolley.

STRIKING COMPARISON.

Comparisons are never odious when they show things up in a way to bring out the right side of a question. Note the following conditions in dry Kansas and wet Missouri:
The per capita assessed valuation in Missouri is \$300; in Kansas it is \$175.
Kansas' per capita bank deposit is \$100; Missouri's is \$20.
In Kansas one farmer in five owns an auto; in Missouri one farmer in 100 has one of the buzz wagons.
In Kansas the common laborer draws \$14 a week; in Missouri, \$8.
In Kansas there is hardly a town of 1,500 population but has electric lights, water and sewer systems; in Missouri numbers of towns of 4,000 to 5,000 have no paved streets, electric lights or water system.

LAWYERS TAKE NOTICE.

Let the graduates of law schools take notice and keep away from Yates county, N. Y., if they want to earn a livelihood by practicing their profession. At the June term of court there was not a solitary civil or criminal case on the docket, neither was there a criminal case in the county undisposed of. Such a state of affairs in a county with an area of 320 square miles and having a population of over 18,000 requires an explanation. Attorneys in the locality, says the New York World, can recall no similar conditions in the past. The paper in calling attention to this most unusual instance fails to note that Yates county has been for four years dry territory.

SALOON MUST GO.

The number of sufferers from child labor, however great, is exceeded by the number of women and children who suffer from the baleful effects of the saloon. The verdict of the human conscience is, the saloon must go.—Bishop John M. Walden in address to the Knights Templar of America at the Denver convalescence.

BEER CAUSES ACCIDENTS.

The Western Electric plant of Chicago forbids its workmen bringing beer upon the grounds. Why? Because it was noticed that a large number of accidents occurred uniformly after lunch, and in almost every case the victim of the accident had taken beer with his lunch.

LOW VITALITY.

Sickness is always more fatal with beer or some other kind of liquor.

INSECTS HAVE NO NOSTRILS

Nature Seemingly Concluded Small Creatures Could Get Along Without That Convenience.

All insects need air, even those that live in water, but no insect has nostrils, or any opening in the head through which it breathes. Instead, there is a row of small openings called spiracles, down each side of its body, one on each segment, beginning with the second or third of the thorax or chest, and extending back to the tip of the abdomen. The spiracles open into two air-tubes that extend the length of the insect, one on each side, just within the wall of the body. These tubes are connected in the thorax by two cross-tubes, and from them smaller tubes diverge. These, in turn, divide and redivide, growing constantly smaller, until the finest tubes permeate every part of the insect, even the tops of the antennae and the joints of the feet. The tubes are known as tracheae, and serve the same purpose that the lungs serve in the vertebrates; to carry oxygen to the blood and tissues. The outer openings or spiracles, are protected in various ways—as for example, by a circle of hairs—in order to prevent the admission of anything except air. If they become clogged by any such substances as oil or grease the insect suffocates. The humming of gnats, the buzzing of flies, and similar sounds, are produced by the vibration of the air in the spiracles and tracheae.—Youth's Companion.

NEW IDEA OF FAMOUS STATUE

Surely the Most Original of All Put Forward Concerning the Venus De Medici.

Aunt Judy had been brought up from the plantation on the coast for a visit to the "big family" house in Savannah. There she learned, to her indignation and outspoken disapproval, that one of her granddaughters, whom she had never seen, had been allowed to go north to study for the operatic stage. Aunt Judy had once been a spectator of as much of a musical comedy as one could see between the time of the curtain rising upon a ballet and chorus and the time of Judy's outraged exit from the theater. To the old woman the expedition of the mistress' granddaughter was much as if the girl had elected to go off in the company of Satan, Caligula and Henry VIII.

Also, there was a marble Venus de Medici in one corner of the drawing room of the "big family" house. Judy had her own ideas about this statue, too.

"I ain't sho'," Judy said one day in confidence to a friend of the family, who had asked to see the girl, "I ain't sho"—"missis ain't never tole me—but I t'ink dat w'ite rock girls a po'trait er dat gran'chile whut run off in bad comp'ny."—New York Evening Post.

Ants Walk on Water.

It may not be new to observers of animal life, but I have been much interested in watching the common house ant here in Rio de Janeiro, says a writer in Nature.

We have an American fly trap; the sugar was one day covered with ants, so I placed the trap on a finger bowl standing in a plate of water. The ants, when they came to the edge of the water, ran around the bowl until convinced there was no way across, and then calmly took to the water, and ran across it by aid of surface tension without getting their feet wet.

Having presumably been home to the nest, they returned for more sugar, crossing in the same way, and this went on regularly, a steady procession crossing the water.

Test of Sanity.

The ability to remain both sober and gracious under high reward or great responsibility is a quality that we greatly admire in others. To retain a simple and open mind after doing something that is acknowledged to be of merit is one of the rarest accomplishments of sanity. It makes for pleasantness in abundant measure.

Indeed it does more than this, it makes living possible, paves the way to success, begets good will, conquers hatred and uncharitableness—in short, it is the substance of comity, the evidence of grace, and the proof of a large mind that is sane.—Atlantic.

To Purify Musty Places.

Charcoal and quicklime are the best purifiers. To use charcoal, for instance, suspend it in net bags. Make a number of bags to hold several large lumps of charcoal. These will absorb all sorts of bad odors and mustiness and leave the atmosphere pure and sweet. The power of charcoal is according to its freshness, and this is restored by heating. Once a week take the bags down, empty them in a fire pot and heat very hot. The freshened lumps will then serve a new period of usefulness.

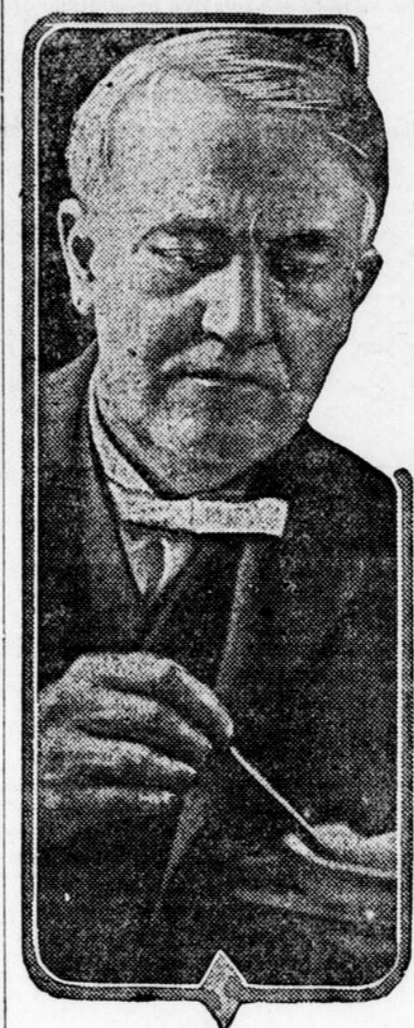
Uses Time Well.

The young business woman who works downtown until four o'clock each afternoon passes one afternoon a week from four until six at a public library reading the current magazines and "keeping posted," as she puts it. Nothing is allowed to interfere with this standing engagement and the girl who has tried declares that it is really quite remarkable what a lot of reading one can get into two hours a week when it is done regularly.—Chicago News.

BARS EDISON FROM OFFICE

New Office Boy Forces "Wizard" to Wait in Anteroom for Appointment With Himself.

Orange, N. J.—A white haired man made his way to the hall on the first floor of the Edison laboratory and was about to enter the library when he was intercepted by an office boy who had been employed two days before. The boy knew that Thomas Edison was ill at home and that the stranger had no appointment with the inventor. The white haired man was com-



Thomas Edison.

elled to take a seat in the lobby while the boy summoned W. H. Meadowcroft, Mr. Edison's secretary.

In a minute the Edison representative was in the hall and recognized the "wizard" himself. Mr. Edison enjoyed the joke at the expense of the office boy.

EDWIN GOULD TO BE AIRMAN

New York Millionaire Orders Hydro-aeroplane of Pattern of H. F. McCormick's Machine.

New York.—It was reported here that Edwin Gould, brother of George J. Gould, attracted by the feats of Harold F. McCormick of Chicago as a commuter by hydro-aeroplane, had purchased two of these machines for his own use. While Mr. Gould could not be seen personally, one of his sons said at the Gould country home at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson that his father for some time had been considering the purchase of one or more of the hydro-aeroplanes. Mr. Gould recently spent some little time studying the mechanism of Mr. McCormick's flying boat at Lake Forest, near Chicago, and it is said that he decided to place orders for two elaborate machines, one built for speed only and the other, to be the largest ever built, to accommodate six persons.

Although Mr. Gould could launch his hydro-aeroplane in the Hudson near his home in Ardsley, it is said that he does not contemplate making his first flight on the Hudson, but along the coast between New London and New York. He hopes, it is said, to go all the way from New London to Palm Beach.

JUDGE FRIED HIS PEARL

If Illinois Jurist Had Stewed It He Would Have Made Over \$15,000.

Martinez, Cal.—If Judge E. H. Ware had taken, on a recent trip to San Francisco, his oysters in a stew instead of fried, he would be richer by a small fortune. On biting into one of his fried oysters the judge encountered something hard. Investigation disclosed a pearl, which he tucked away in a vest pocket.

Back again in Martinez, Judge Ware showed his pearl to Under Sheriff William Veale, who offered to submit it to a San Francisco jeweler for valuation. When the San Francisco expert looked at the pearl he said:

"If your friend had ordered an oyster stew instead of a fry this thing would be worth \$15,000. It is perfect in form and just matches one we're trying to find a mate for. But the frying has completely ruined it."

Still Applies.

New York.—"A guilty conscience carries the load of seven dromedaries," the prophet Mohammed once wrote. That aphorism evidently applies to Brooklyn as well as it did to Damascus in the olden time.

A small package, addressed "Police Headquarters, Brooklyn," came through the mail to the State street detective headquarters. It contained a pair of gold cuff links marked with the capital letter "F" in old English script and a half karat diamond steekpin. There was no note of explanation in the box. It had been mailed at Station E, in East New York.

WOMEN MEN'S PEEL

Writer Tells How Suffragettes Outtalked the Premier.

Says Feminine Forces Can Prevent Return of Liberal Party to Power at Next Election—Sees End of Militancy.

London, England.—Returning to England after an absence of four months on the continent, I have been interested in ascertaining whether there has been any change in the situation regarding woman suffrage, says a London woman writer. In writing to Mrs. Fawcett, president of the constitutional association, the National Union, I said it seemed to me that, with the remarkable four weeks' pilgrimage of thousands of women from all parts of the country, the great peaceful demonstration in Hyde park and later the receiving of their representatives by Prime minister Asquith, the movement had entered upon a new era.

She answered: "I feel with you that suffrage matters in England are on the point of new development, but we know nothing positively at present," and this represents truly the existing condition. Nobody, constitutional or militant, official or private citizen, will hazard a definite opinion as to the next step.

In her address to the premier, Mrs. Fawcett appealed to him to find a way out of the "impasse" in which not only the suffragists but also the liberal party found themselves, and this correctly expresses the condition. The former are no more hopelessly up against a stone wall on this question than is the latter.

Why did Mr. Asquith, after refusing to receive a deputation at the time thousands of women were in London for the Hyde park meeting, voluntarily agree to do so a week later? He said it was because he understood they "had fresh evidence of popular support to lay before him!"

At the time one division of the "pilgrims" had reached Oxford and was holding a mass meeting, the prime minister was discovered incognito in one of the colleges there, evidently seeking for himself what everybody knows—that there is a tremendous public sentiment behind this movement. He pretended to be impressed at the testimony of the women as to the friendship of the workingmen shown all along the march, and yet for a number of years this has been expressed by an overwhelming vote at the conventions of the labor party.

Never was the wily politician more in evidence than at this interview, but the women matched him at every point.

"The liberal party will bow to the will of the people," he said. "How is that will to be expressed?" they asked.

"Well, there is the referendum—would that suit your ideas?" answered Mrs. Fawcett; "one said it was the best way ever invented for stopping anything and the other said it was the best way of dealing with woman suffrage!"

The premier asserted that "the interests of women had not been unduly neglected by the house of commons" and Miss Royden asked him what degree of neglect was "due?" She pointed out one instance after another where the interests of men have been protected and those of women ignored; declared that "even good government is no substitute for self-government" and that "women had become politically conscious and never would be sent to sleep again."

"There is but one way of finding out what the people think," said the prime minister, "and that is through the representatives they send to parliament."

"True," answered Miss Robertson, "and there has been a majority for women suffrage in the house of commons for 25 years!"

There is only one course open to the suffragist and that is to prevent the return of the liberal party to power at the next general election. English women are trained in politics and if the suffragists would lay aside all minor difference and concentrate on this one object, they could accomplish it. The Women's Liberal federation, an annex of the liberal party, with a membership of over 100,000, could do this unaided. It would mean, of course, the retirement from office of the men of their own families and the defeat of the party to which they always have belonged, but many of them are prepared to make this sacrifice. It seems to be accepted on every hand that the conservative party when it comes into power again will grant some measure of suffrage to women. This will not be done as a matter of principle, but because it will not wish to subject itself to the experience of the liberal party at the hands of women, and because the sentiment of the country is so obviously in favor of their enfranchisement.

Peacock Killed by Buffalo.

Philadelphia, Pa.—A handsome peacock, belonging to the zoo, flew into the enclosure occupied by a giant buffalo and challenged the animal to battle. The peacock drew first blood, but the buffalo trampled the bird under hoof, gouged his great head upon the mass of feathers and crushed the form into the earth. There was no possible way for the peacocks to stop the battle.

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HARDLY UNDERSTANDABLE

Correspondent thinks Attitude of Pro-License Party Open to Suspicion.

Beebe Plain, Que., Nov. 11, 1913
EDITOR STANSTEAD JOURNAL.

Dear Sir,—In order that there may be no misunderstanding on the part of the people who have been reading the discussions of license at Beebe, both locally and those at a distance, I am concerned as a taxpayer and citizen of Beebe to especially call the attention of the public to the fact that there is not a large percentage of the inhabitants of this village who are in favor of seeing the saloon or a licensed hotel enter our midst, as our license friends would have the world at large understand to be the case, and before placing the figures that I am about to submit I am able to state that I have checked the list carefully and I find that there are 214 qualified municipal electors upon our official list, and of this number only 105 appeared upon the petition presented to the council on September 22nd last also out of 131 proprietors of real estate only 56 of this number appear on the petition, representing \$75,000 valuation out of a total valuation of \$220,000. The other 49 names of qualified voters on the petition were renters, consequently it is clear to be seen that a large majority of the owners of real estate in the village are not supporting the granting of license.

I came into this village a few years ago and was attracted here by the neatness and up-to-date appearance that was exhibited by the town and residents, purchased real estate and am carrying on a small Granite industry within a short distance of the village and I must say that for our council to grant the license to sell intoxicating liquors in our village that has always been free from this disgrace is a most unwise and unfair step.

I can assure you, and those who read the letters of last week that Mr. McIntosh, in his article, was absolutely correct when he said that the license was determined on before the council had heard any expression of opinion of the ratepayers except the select few who were in league with the applicants for license and some of these, to all appearances, under pay.

I have no hesitation in stating that should this council grant the petition with all the weight of argument thrown against it by the residents, with Mr. McIntosh at the head, and we would not forget to express our appreciation of the articles contributed by men from outside, that it would seem that a price had been paid and the license put through irrespective of argument or right in the matter.

I surely agree with our friend, Mr. C. F. Smith, in his fighting article, when he says, "What is worth doing at all is worth doing well," and therefore if one license is a good thing ten would be better, therefore in closing I appeal to our council and to one councillor in particular for whom I voted last January, supposing him to be a temperance candidate, to reconsider the apparent stand taken and refuse to grant this license that our village above all things may retain its good name.

I send you a clipping from your paper as published in the issue of January 23rd last and which was written in reference to one of our councillors, shortly after his election—by the joint request of himself and the gentleman who has since taken such an active part in working up the license sentiment. I must say that the present position of the new councillor can hardly be understood in view of the substantial support given him by temperance voters in his election contest.

The Beebe Election.

Could one have put a finger on the municipal pulse of Beebe on the 13th inst. it would have been found throbbing with feverish expectancy.

As the town clock pointed to the hour of 10, men could be seen wending their way to the town hall where the poll was officially opened by our worthy secretary, Mr. M. P. Dixon. The mayor, H. B. Stewart, and Henry Tompkins were the retiring councillors; H. B. Stewart was returned by acclamation, then commenced the contest between Mr. Tompkins and B. B. Albee.

As the day wore away it became evident that two days would be required to finish the election. The poll stood 51 for Mr. Tompkins and 60 for Mr. Albee when it closed on Monday night.

Tuesday morning brought men from East, West, North and South, fully determined to enlarge Mr. Albee's majority.

Granite cutters took no time from their regular work but shortened their dinner hour, so spirited had the contest become, that they might go to the poll and do their duty without fear or favor.

Standing side by side with rich fur-lined coats, unmindful of their dust-covered clothes, knowing "That a man is a man for a' that," voted conscientiously, qualified women also after due deliberation used their privilege; and I would say right here: we are largely indebted, for this same privilege to Hon. M. F. Hackett, who by his eloquence and persistent efforts in the Quebec Legislature, on behalf of women, gained for them municipal and school suffrage.

While the wheels of prohibition are slowly but surely revolving, in many other municipalities there is no reason why they should not tour this small corner of our vast Dominion.

The movement has been faithfully kept before the people for years, and

public opinion has been moulded more perhaps, than many realize.

One fact stands to the credit of Beebe: no man was known or thought to be under the influence of strong drink, during the two day's election, a thing hitherto unknown. No man's jacket bulged out with the long-necked whiskey bottle so common on these occasions. No private vest pocket held the "chummy flask" for particular friends, you know.

No temperance organization can claim the credit of this clean, orderly election, but a point was scored by temperance sentiment, and B. B. Albee was elected by a majority of 19.

On the following Friday evening a banquet was given in the newly remodelled town hall, when the inner man was bountifully satisfied with oysters and other good things, including fruit, etc. The chief feature being no drink, but pure sparkling, cold water, God's own beverage.

Thus ended a red letter day for Beebe.

I enclose my check for \$1.00 as a subscription to your paper and thank you for the space granted me in the same.

Yours truly,
CHAS. BERRY.

FITCH BAY.

From an occasional correspondent.

At the Congregational church on Sunday, Nov. 2nd, the Christian Endeavor Society held its monthly business and consecration meeting led by Mr. W. H. Temple, President. A very interesting and helpful paper was given by Rev. R. W. Carr. A very pleasing feature was a solo by Mr. H. G. Taylor.

Mrs. A. L. Rider very pleasantly entertained the ladies at an old fashioned quilting party on Nov. 7th. A New England boiled dinner was served to which all did ample justice.

Of course every one knows about the coming church fair to be held in Hovey Hall, Friday afternoon and evening, Nov. 21st. We don't want you to forget it. The ladies have the arrangements well in hand and a successful affair must be the result. Many of the articles for sale will help you out with your Christmas gifts. The concert promises to be a genuine treat as the following list of names of those who have kindly consented to assist is all the guarantee necessary. Miss Ethel Montie, Miss Marion Davidson, Mrs. Eva Rider Hutchinson, Miss Gladys Swanson, Mr. M. B. Johnson, Mr. H. G. Taylor, Rev. R. W. Carr, Mr. Aaron Dolloff, Mr. John Nutbrown, Mrs. O. W. Brown, Mr. Byron Brown and Mr. Gordon Howard will give selections on violin, cello and organ.

A most scholarly and forceful temperance sermon was given by the pastor to a large and appreciative congregation on Sunday morning, Nov. 9th. The choir, most acceptably, rendered "In Heavenly Love Abiding." (Robertson).

HATLEY CENTER.

The Farmers Club of Hatley will hold a meeting in the Abbott school-house on Saturday evening, November 15th, at 8 o'clock. Mr. H. Barton, professor of animal husbandry at Macdonald College, will address the meeting. Prof. Barton has spoken here before, and it can be truthfully said that every one should attend as Mr. Barton's talks are both interesting and beneficial to all stockmen. At this time of year the evenings are getting longer so let every one turn out, and invite your neighbors to attend also.

CURRIER.

Mr. W. D. Taylor is recovering from an attack of erysipelas.

Little Ena Ratcliffe is slowly recovering from infantile paralysis with which she was stricken two months ago.

Mr. J. M. Bowen has sold his farm to Mr. Bishop of Montreal. Price \$6500.

Mrs. A. Dural has gone to Scotland to spend a few days.

Mrs. A. Stone is at home after spending a few weeks with her daughter at East Bolton.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Roy from Magog were in the place on Thursday.

LEADVILLE.

Mrs. W. S. Brown is visiting relatives at Hardwick, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lenney of Fitch Bay, and Mr. and Mr. Cambre of Newport, spent Sunday here, the guests of Mr. L. Stickney.

Mr. J. A. Thompson of North Newport was here recently calling on relatives.

Mr. G. P. Brown has been visiting friends at Newport Center.

Mr. E. Monte of Highwater was through here last week with his gasoline threshing outfit.

UNIVERSALIST NOTES.

Sermon by the pastor next Sunday morning at 10.45. Subject, "The church Problem of the Present."

Quartet choir. Soprano solo, Miss Grace Foss.

Sunday school at noon. Will each member of the class in Evolution please make an extra effort to be present. Owing to the illness of the president, Mrs. T. F. O'Rourke, the Ladies Aid has not yet held a second meeting. A gathering will be planned for very soon.

The "Jolly Juniors" met with Mrs. B. F. Butterfield Thursday afternoon.

The invitation extended to the Congregational church for a union Thanksgiving service with us, Sunday morning, Nov. 23rd, was gladly accepted. Bro. Hallett will preach the sermon.

SIX YEARS' EXPERIENCE OF WORCESTER, MASS.

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Comparison of three periods, two license years, 1906-1908; two no-license years, 1908-1910; two license years, 1910-1912. The comparative criminal record for the three periods is tabulated below:

Arrests for drunkenness in first, license period,	7,971
Arrests for drunkenness in second, no-license period,	4,641
Arrests for drunkenness in the third, license period,	9,111

Please note the relative percentage of each period:

First under license,	172 per cent
Second under no-license,	100 per cent
Third under license,	198 per cent

The last period nearly doubled that under no-license.

Arrests for assault and battery in first license period,	697
" " " " " " " " 2nd no-license period,	572
" " " " " " " " 3rd license period,	689

Arrests for all causes in first license period,	12,162
" " " " " " " " second no-license period,	9,325
" " " " " " " " third license period,	13,811

Health record for the three periods:

Alcoholic patients at city hospital, first period, license,	497
" " " " " " " " second period, no-license,	327
" " " " " " " " third period, license,	678

Deaths from alcoholism, Board of health, first period, license,	48
" " " " " " " " second period, no-license,	16
" " " " " " " " third period, license,	53

ARRESTS FOR DRUNKS NEWBURYPORT, MASS.

License	License	No-License	No-License	License	No-License	License	No-License
1900-01	1901-02	1902-03	1903-04	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07	1907-08
611	674	149	632	232	619	712	178

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We wish you to compare, if you will, the annual report of the above named Company for the year ending December 31st, 1911, with that of the year ending December 31st, 1912, as given below, and as submitted by the Treasurer, T. N. Goudge.

We think that a careful comparison of the same will convince you, that you should own as an investment, for yourself or your children, at least a small block of the 6% Preferred Stock or 6% First Mortgage Bonds.

The increase in the earnings of the Company for the first six months of this year over the same period last year were sufficient to enable the Directors of the Company to raise the dividend on its Common Stock from a 4% to a 6% basis. The Company has paid a dividend on its common stock for the quarter ending September 30th, 1913, at the rate of 6% per annum. Does this look as though tight money was effecting this security? Are the Bonds or Stocks of a growing concern which is not affected by hard times and tight money which many have experienced during the past year, worthy of your consideration as an investment? Mr. Investor, the increase in subscribers for the year of 1912 was 2170, and we have set figures for the year of 1913 as high as 2950. Do not be surprised when we tell you that considerable over half of the desired increase for 1913 was secured during the first six months. Now, are you going to allow the chance of securing some of the Bonds or Stocks of the above mentioned Company to slip from your finger tips without even giving this a thought? Call at our office (or drop us a post card for further information) and you will go away with value received for your time.

We have a small block of the 6% First Mortgage Bonds; due July 1st, 1941, in denominations of \$100 and \$500 at a price to yield about 5.50%.

We also have a small lot of the 6% Prfd. Stock @ \$104 to yield about 5.88%. We would advise the early placing of your orders for this stock as the floating supply is getting nearly exhausted.

REVENUE ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31st, 1911.

Receipts.	
Exchange Service	\$148,415.88
Long Distance Service	65,887.90
Miscellaneous	16,158.17
	\$230,461.95
Expences.	
Operation	63,825.07
Maintenance & Replacement Reserves	84,399.00
Bond Interest	35,418.00
Miscellaneous	7,126.53
	190,768.60
Net Revenue	39,693.35
Less Dividends (including Jan. 1st, 1912)	20,633.25
	19,060.10
Balance Revenue from 1910	842.84
Balance Revenue Account 1911	19,902.14
DISTRIBUTION OF REVENUE BALANCE.	
Carried to Fire Insurance Reserve	7,500.00
Carried to Accident Reserve	7,500.00
Carried forward to 1912	4,902.14
	\$19,902.14

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31st, 1911.

Capital Stock } Preferred	\$ 650,000.00
Capital Stock } Common	850,000.00
Bonds	1,500,000.00
Preferred Dividend payable Jan. 1, 1912	9,750.00
Bond Interest payable Jan. 1, 1912	35,418.00
Accounts payable	13,651.51
Reserve for Fire Insurance	7,500.00
Reserve for Accidents	7,500.00
Reserve for Replacements and Contingent	486,532.87
Revenue Account	4,902.14
	\$3,565,254.52
Plant and Paoperty	2,881,853.35
Supplies and Tools	92,502.02
Stocks and Bonds	135,386.33
Treasury Bonds	319,400.00
Accounts Receivable	52,764.81
Cash	83,948.01
	\$3,565,254.52

T. N. GOUDGE,
Treasurer.

REVENUE ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31st, 1912.

Receipts.	
Exchange Service	\$330,456.14
Long Distance Service	148,555.58
Miscellaneous	21,501.15
	\$500,512.87
Expences.	
Operation	156,015.95
Maintenance & Replacement Reserves	168,627.30
Bond Interest	70,836.00
Miscellaneous	13,587.48
	409,066.73
Net Revenue	91,476.14
Less Dividends (including Jan. 1st, 1913)	64,500.00
	26,976.14
Balance Revenue from 1911	4,902.14
Balance Revenue Account 1912	31,878.28
DISTRIBUTION OF REVENUE BALANCE.	
Carried to Fire Insurance Reserve	7,500.00
Carried to Accident Reserve	12,500.00
Carried forward to 1913	11,878.28
	\$31,878.28

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31st, 1912.

Capital Stock } Preferred	\$650,000.00
Capital Stock } Common	850,000.00
Bonds	1,500,000.00
Preferred Dividend payable Jan. 1, 1913	9,750.00
Common Dividend payable Jan. 1, 1913	8,500.00
Bond Interest payable Jan. 1, 1912	35,418.00
Accounts Payable	131,654.57
Reserve for Fire Insurance	13,814.69
Reserve for Accidents	18,040.35
Reserve for Replacement and Contingent	557,616.10
Revenue Account	11,878.28
	\$3,786,671.99
Plant and property	3,069,050.03
Construction in Process	46,192.31
Supplies and Tools	167,608.32
Stocks and Bonds	97,125.00
Treasury Bonds	319,400.00
Accounts Receivable	87,296.33
	\$3,786,671.99

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