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THE GILMAN STORE.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Buyers were in New York last week selecting the latest novelties for this department.



TAILORED SUITS. All the best shades and styles are to be found here right from the makers. Prices \$10.00 for a stylish and well made suit, to \$40.00 for the handsome embroidered suits.

SEPARATE COATS. Automobile Coats from one of the makers of coats only. These coats have all the style of very expensive imported coats and at very much less price. Cravenette Coats, Rubberized Coats, Rubberized Capes, Young Women's Coats, Misses' Coats, Children's Coats.

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MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. The spring stock of Home-made Underwear is in for the customers who know and appreciate this well-known brand.

CARPET DEPARTMENT. The largest stock of carpet size Rugs ever shown outside of the large city stores will be offered to our carpet customers this spring. While there has been a very marked advance asked by the manufacturers, our prices are as low and in some cases lower than last season. If you want anything in Floor Coverings it is the best time to buy as you surely will pay more later.

AXMINSTER RUGS 9x12, perfect goods, special price \$19.95.

VELVET CARPET, best grade, \$1.00 a yard.

TAPESTRY CARPET, 60c., 75c., 85c. a yard.

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EASTER CONFECTIONERY is now in stock

Our regular 40c. Chocolate and Bon-Bons for Saturday only, 33c. lb; these are the equal of any 60c. goods on the market.

THE DALY GROCERY COMPANY

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. John Fallon of Boston, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. John Keeler of Orleans, was in town Wednesday.

A lot of good hay for sale at Derby Line. William M. Pike.

Mr. George Nunne, of the E. T. Bank, spent Easter at his home in Castook.

The ladies of Stanstead College will be at home to their friends April 7th, from 4 to 6.

Mr. W. H. Hopkins of Boston, one of our regular travelers, was in town Wednesday and to-day.

Mrs. Harris Colby of West Burke, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Annie Gaduppe, of Library Square.

Miss Claudine Smith returned to North Hatley on Monday, after spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

Dr. Charles A. Moulton, who has been at his home sick with his gripple for ten days, is again able to be at his office.

The Derby Line schools resume their sessions next Monday with Miss Lila Rickard, Mrs. Ernest Green and Miss Esther Kidder teachers.

Col. H. S. Haskell is seen out with his new "Hudson" runabout nearly every day, presiding at the wheel himself. This strikes us as a very neat machine.

Mrs. Warren Pike is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John U. Baxter. She was a little better this morning, but extreme age does not admit of much hopes of her recovery.

Mr. John H. McDowell of Montreal, was the guest of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDowell, at "Maplehurst" recently. This is the name they have given to the Col. F. D. Butterfield farm that they purchased about a year ago.

The Casino is having a phenomenal week. The Doucette Bros. are a great hit. One is five and the other is nine years old, and everything they do is fine. They are both versatile comedians. They impersonate, sing and dance and are all of a high class, modest and unusually clever. Every one should see them.

Mrs. H. Allen Clark (Lila Carpenter) who has spent the past year among her relatives here, largely in the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charpentier, starts tomorrow for her western home. Mrs. Clark will visit her son in Schenectady, N. Y., and daughter, Mrs. Frank S. Wettsch, in Coffeyville, Kansas. The Clarks have a home in Western Kansas of 1400 acres, a typical Western ranch, 500 acres in alfalfa.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. W. K. Baldwin is in Washington, D. C.

Mr. E. R. Fellows of Barre, Vt., was in town Thursday.

Mr. John J. Parker spent the middle of last week in Hatley.

Mr. Joseph Bowles of Woodville, N. H., was in town Thursday.

Mr. H. F. Tetrauch of Boston, was a business caller in town Thursday.

Mr. John T. Hackett of Montreal, was at his Stanstead home over Easter.

"Mac's" shoe shining parlor is now open every evening and on Sundays.

Mr. H. H. Hyland of the E. T. Bank, Sherbrooke, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. Leo LeBlanc, of the JOURNAL staff, spent Easter Sunday at his home in Bedford.

Miss E. Ames of Sherbrooke was a guest at Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Duncall's over Easter.

Mrs. Mae Doucette and two sons of Westbrook, Me., are spending the week in town.

Rev. A. C. Larned, Rector of Newport, was a guest at Christ Church Rectory yesterday.

Mrs. E. Kent of Grass Valley, Cal., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Murdoch, Stanstead.

Yesterday Fred Moulton of Holland was ploughing as if there hadn't been any frosts this winter.

Mr. Fred S. Laythe returned from his Western trip for the Butterfield Co., yesterday morning.

Mr. Asa Moran gave a "sugaring-off" Tuesday, which was enjoyed by a number from the villages.

Mr. Albert F. Gilmore, of Gilmore Bros., has been confined at his home for a day or two by illness.

Messrs. Gordon Cooby and Charles Audinwood return the first of the week to Goddard Seminary.

Mr. W. K. Borden returned Tuesday morning, after spending the Easter holidays at his home in Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hennigan of East Milton, Mass., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Talcott Chapman.

Centenary Methodist Church, W. S. Jamieson pastor. Morning theme, Holy Sabbath. Evening service as usual.

Locals from Fitch Bay, Boynton, Libbytown, Smith's Mills, Rutter's Corner and Holland appear on the second page.

Congregational Church, J. G. Hindley minister. Morning subject, "The Great Benefactor." Evening subject, "Science and Immortality."

More favorable news has been received from Mr. F. T. Caswell the last two days, and his doctor reports that he is slowly gaining ground.

Mr. Lysander H. Hopkins went to Littleton, N. H., Tuesday, to visit his daughter, Mrs. Frye, and expects to be at home the last of the week.

The library will be closed Tuesday evening, April 5th and open Wednesday evening, April 6th, but it will be open Tuesday afternoon as usual.

Mrs. Charles Carpenter, who has been quite ill for ten days and confined to her bed, is better, having spent a little time yesterday and to-day.

Harnesses at cost, and a conditional pass on all Canadian Railroads good for one year thrown in. Is this any temptation? Call early only; a limited number left. A. Gilmore Co.

The specimen of maple sugar which reached our sanctum Tuesday gives ample evidence that our old friend, C. B. Jenkins, is not falling behind the procession in this. Its very whiteness might lead some to be suspicious, but it is genuine.

Sunday afternoon some miscreant entered the home of E. D. Moulton, Railroad street, during the absence of the occupants, stole \$5.45 in cash which had been left on the sideboard, and decamped, leaving the back door open. No clue to the identity of the guilty party has been found.

Mr. Horace Cordeau for many years with the Rock Island Hardware Co., and Ralph J. Hunt, concludes his work with this concern this week to become the partner of Ed. C. Hall in the Cooper building. It will be an enlargement of the present business of tin-smithing, plumbing and steam fitting.

One of the pleasing features of last Sabbath's services at the Centenary Methodist Church was the playing of a violin obligato solo by Miss Redden with Miss Jamieson, Miss Redden, at every public appearance, shows by her work with what fidelity she continues her study of the violin. There is gratifying evidence of growth along all lines.

The March report of the Haskell Free Library is of much interest. The details are: Juvenile fiction, 208; non-fiction, 61; adult fiction, 1189; non-fiction, 75; total, fiction, 1397; non-fiction, 136; total books taken out for the month, 1513. There has never been but two months that this was exceeded. The library day average was 168; volumes. The total withdrawals for January, February and March this year was 4299, a gain of 838 books over 1909. 73 new books have been added to the collection during March, and 178 since January 1st. The growth of this institution in popularity and usefulness is certainly a high compliment to the intelligence of the people. The withdrawal of books would hardly be an expression of pride, they are taken out to read, consequently it is in a measure a gauge of public taste, and growth in a wholesome habit.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. P. A. Latour of Boston was in town Thursday.

Mr. William F. Pike went to Montreal the first of the week.

Mr. Eugene Cowles is much better and has been out driving.

Mr. T. S. Smith of New York City, was a caller in town Friday.

Notary E. H. Begin, of Windsor Mills, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Dobson spent Easter with friends in North Troy, Vt.

Mr. F. Sargent of Concord, N. H., was in the Three Villages on Thursday.

Mr. J. B. Howe of Sherbrooke, was the guest of Mr. Percy Sails on Good Friday.

Miss Linda Harding returned from New York City the middle of the week.

Mr. J. E. Brown of Boston, was in town Friday and Saturday for Bigelow & Dowse.

Mr. Harry G. Clarke and his daughter Katherine, of Boston, were in town Friday.

Mr. C. W. Nay of St. Johnsbury, was in town Friday in the interest of the National Biscuit Co.

Mr. Benjamin Smith of Tilton, N. H., has been spending at week at his father's, Mr. Harry Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rand went to Cowansville last week for a few days' visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Winnifred Langevin is assisting in the office at the "Good Quality" store. This store is asking its annual invoice.

Miss Nettie Williams, of the Derby Line office of Mr. J. B. Goodhue, was called to Sherbrooke Friday by the illness of an aunt.

We have been hearing about the hookworm all the long winter, but as spring draws near the angworm will consume our attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Daviau and child, who have been spending the Easter holidays at Mr. L. A. Lanctot's, returned to Waterloo Tuesday.

The school directors of the towns of Derby, Morgan and Charleston hold their annual meeting at West Charleston Tuesday, April 5th.

At Christ Church next Sunday there will be a Celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m. Evening at 7:30 o'clock. Preacher at both services the Rector. All are welcome.

Mrs. Louis Bilodeau of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Miss Marie Bilodeau, of the Ursuline Convent, Stanstead, are spending a few days at Mrs. T. O. Lanctot's.

A local lady sent her domestic to the store for a pint of denatured alcohol, and she asked the clerk for "good natured alcohol." Unconsciously the maid complimented the changed chemical condition of the liquid.

McShane's guarantee goes with his Gall Cure and Lightning Hoof Grower. What more do you want? 25c. size for 15c. and 50c. size for 35c. worth three times the price, you cannot afford to be without it. A. Gilmore Co.

Attention is called to the auction sale at W. J. Parkhill's farm, between Ayer's Cliff and Boynton, Saturday, April 2nd. The sale will include a number of good cows and other stock, as well as the farm implements, etc. Mr. Parkhill has sold the farm, thus necessitating the auction sale.

William Dyson, formerly chief steward of the C. P. R. coast steamboat service in British Columbia, has become manager of the Dominion Hotel at Kamloops, B. C., now owned by the Kamloops Hotel Company. Mr. Dyson is a brother of A. H. Dyson of Way's Mills and was a student at Stanstead College at one time.

About one hundred citizens attended a sugaring off at the sugar place of Mr. W. H. McDowell on Thursday. This is the orchard formerly owned by Col. F. D. Butterfield and Mr. McDowell has built a fine sugar house and installed a thousand tree plant during the year and is making some fine sugar and a good quantity of it. The guests spoke in the highest terms of the way they were entertained. The location is very convenient for a thing of this kind.

Miss H. M. Hepworth is to have her opening Wednesday and Thursday, April 6th and 7th (next week). This store never had such a stock. Miss Hepworth spent much time in New York this season and her stock is very large and of great variety. Her assistants are a very capable corps of young ladies, including Misses Gladys Sells and Yvonne DeLand and a very competent city trimmer. This store has the goods, the bustle and go of a large store. You should see the line of outing hats. Don't miss the opening.

The congregation at Christ Church Easter Sunday morning was the largest gathering seen at any regular service in this diocese for a long time. The Rector spoke of the Resurrection with eloquence and certitude, vigorously opposing the theories of "scientists" who had attempted to reduce the great event to mere mathematics and rob it of all its mystery. In visiting the sick and dying the assurance of Christ's victory over death was the only solace the preacher could offer, the Resurrection being the foundational doctrine of the whole Christian Church. Rev. F. G. Vial, now of Bishop's College, Lenoxville, a former Curate of the Parish, conducted the evening service. The music and floral decorations were in keeping with the day.

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6 Strand, 35 inches, 20 cents per rod. 8 Strand, 45 inches, 25 cents per rod. Rolls are 10, 20 and 40 rods each.

The price is dirt cheap and good only until we have sold out 3,600 rods bought at a big sacrifice.

Terms spot cash, f. o. b., cars, Newport, ready for delivery April 15th to May 1st.

TRUE & BLANCHARD CO., NEWPORT.

A. E. FISH & SONS

Headquarters for Flour, Feed, Grain, Fertilizer, etc.

We have received and unloaded eight car-loads within the last 10 days, as follows:

1 car No. 1 Canada Western Oats
2 cars Quaker Flour and Bran
1 car Peoria No. 3 Yellow Corn
1 car Bell Cow Shorts
2 cars Indian Kiln-dried Corn
1 car Timothy and Clover

We have still to arrive, previous to April 10th, the following cars:

1 car Seed Grain (Barley, Wheat and Oats)
1 car Indiana Kiln Dried Corn
1 car Quaker Flour and Bran
1 car Pittsburgh Barbed Wire

It will pay you to get our Prices before buying Seed Grain, Timothy, Clover and Seed Corn. It will pay you to patronize us for all your wants in our line.

A. E. FISH & SONS.

Ayer's Cliff, Que., March 29th, 1910.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. Winfield Hackett spent the Easter holidays at home.

Mr. C. Lee Jenkins of Smith's Mills, 913 Main Street, was in town Monday.

The E. T. Bank has offered again this year a \$50 prize to the Stanstead County Agricultural Society to be placed on butter and cheese.

Yes we will take one-half cash and give you time for the A. Gilmore Co's business, and can prove to you it is a paying proposition. Talk quick or you will lose it.

Many from the villages were recipients of the hospitality of Mr. F. A. Taylor and family in their sugar bush at Grand View Farm Tuesday, the outing being greatly enjoyed by all.

The secretary-treasurer of this municipality has given notice that at the next meeting of the council, Monday evening, April 4th, applications for licenses will come up for "examination and consideration."

Yesterday we were shown some remarkable good samples of asbestos from the property of the Vermont Asbestos Company, which is being promoted by local men. The property was chosen after three years active prospecting in Southern Quebec and Northern Vermont and has very promise of becoming very valuable. The directorate is a guarantee of honest administration.

We had a curiosity to see what progress our new overall company, The Crown Manufacturing Co., are making and we called at their plant. The whole affair struck us as a beginning at manufacturing at the small end of the problem, and as far as we were able to judge, there was an entire absence of "biting off more than they can chew." They are moving ahead, but apparently very sure.

They obtained their plant equipment in the most economical and effective manner. Their work room is a model for neatness and convenience, and they have ample room for enlargement as the business demands it. They had samples of the full line just ready for a salesman, and it seems to be free from "flood wood." The Crown people have some new kinks that appear to be very desirable, are in fact, important improvements in the making of overalls. The future of this, our youngest industry, is one of promise and merit and has the well wishes of its neighbors. The fact that our manufacturers pull together, are neighborly, there being a courteous interchange, all are for Rock Island, is one of the chief secrets of our success as a manufacturing center. Let this spirit grow for it will determine our size in the days to come.

Christ Church Vestry Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Vestry of Christ Church was held in the Parish Room on Easter Monday evening the Rev. A. H. Moore presiding. The financial report of the Wardens was read by Mr. E. W. Hay, People's Warden and (while not so favorable as last year) was considered satisfactory and adopted. The wardens reported the death or removal of several regular contributors and urged the need of more new pledges to replace them. The balance sheet of the Tower Fund as audited by Mr. F. Phillips was received and adopted and the Building Committee discharged. The Tower Fund shows a most creditable statement.

The election of officers resulted in reelection of Messrs E. W. Hay and W. B. Cowans as wardens and Messrs A. H. Tiffin, D. R. Parsons, F. D. Phillips and Wm. Byers as elected.

Mr. A. N. Thompson was selected Auditor. The Laymen's Missionary Movement was discussed and it was decided not to attempt anything in that line at present. The Rector acknowledged the receipt of the Easter offering from the congregation and reported the total offering in the parish amounted to \$55. After the usual votes of thanks the meeting adjourned.

CORRECTION.

In the notice of the funeral services of the late Fred P. Mansur, a bunch of carnations mentioned as from Butterfield & Co. was in reality an expression of the sympathy of several personal friends and associates of the deceased who are in the employ of the above mentioned company.

AUCTION SALE

W. J. Parkhill, having sold his farm, three miles from Ayer's Cliff, on the River Road to Boynton, will sell at Public Sale on the premises, on Saturday, April 2nd, 1910, at one o'clock sharp, the following property: 12 Cows, 1 Brood Mare, in foal; 1 Colt coming two years old, 1 Double Wagon, 1 one horse Wagon, 1 two-seater, 1 Concord Wagon, 1 Springboard, 1 Sleigh, 1 Pump, 1 large Kettle, 1 Pump Pole, 1 pair Work Harness, 1 Single Work Harness, 1 pair light Driving Harness, 2 Single Driving Harness, 2 Mowing Machines, 2 Horse Rakes, Hay Tedder, 1 Land Roller, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Horse Hoe, Wheelbarrow, Turnip Seeder, 1 Root Cutter, 1 large Kettle, 1 Molitor Cream Separator, Blanchard Churn, 1 Cream Can, Round Oak Stove, and many small articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—\$10 and under cash, larger sums six months approved, endorsed notes.

40w1 EDWIN HOWE, Auctioneer.

WOMAN'S READING CLUB.

"Redholme" was the pleasant meeting place of the Club Tuesday, March 29, and Miss Harding prepared the program and wrote the paper of the occasion on "Modern Greece."

Mrs. Trueman began the program with a piano solo, consisting of several short tone pictures, in her usual artistically finished manner.

Miss Libby sang "Good Bye" most pleasingly, the song well chosen for the range of her rich mezzo voice.

Current Events, cleverly arranged by Mrs. Hindley in a five minute paper, were read by Miss Robinson.

Miss Ruth Stevens followed with a bright, sparkling piano solo.

Miss Montle read Lord Byron's "Isles of Greece" very, very well.

Miss Harding then read a crisply written brief review of the political changes through which "Ancient Greece" became the Greece of to-day. Telling among many other interesting things Lord Byron's romantic espousal of Grecian Arms ending in his death from fever contracted during his stay there. Her picture of the typical Grecian lady was most interesting, and, at the close of her paper, she read extracts from a book called "Days in Hellas," which added further details of the social conditions in this historic land.

Miss Crocker, accompanied by Miss Stevens, sang: "I Hid my Love in the Heart of a Rose" and "The Last Rose of Summer."

Miss Beerworth read from the Stoddard lectures, a vivid description of "The Marathon Race" very pleasingly.

Mrs. Trueman played another exquisite piano number at the close of this reading.

The programme closed with a short recitation by Miss Montle, which displayed her ability as a mimic of the voice of the small boy.

Mrs. T. F. O'Rourke will be hostess for the meeting of April 12.

CASSVILLE.

Mrs. John Renihan has been suffering from severe cold for the past two weeks.

Mr. Guy Lyford, chauffeur for the Boston elevated railway, spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. D. Lyford last week.

Mrs. Walker and son of Gorham N. H., and Mr. Elmer Colt of Massawippi are visiting their brothers Messrs Charles and Eugene Colt.

Mr. Walter Brown of Leadville spent a few days at the home of Mr. Alexander Thompson last week.

Miss Ernestine Caspey of Ayer's Cliff, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. David Watson during the past week.

A Remarkable Temperance Crusade.

No liquor licenses will be granted in the town of Lake Megantic this year. Polling took place Tuesday, after a strenuous campaign, and resulted in the adoption of the prohibitory by-law by the overwhelming vote of 160 to 1. Rev. Father Choquette was the power behind the crusade, but in the campaign Roman Catholics and Protestants worked shoulder to shoulder. The final meeting was held in the Roman Catholic Church Monday night and among the speakers was Mr. J. H. Roberts, secretary of the Dominion Alliance, who mentioned the fact that it was the first time he had ever spoken in any Roman Catholic Church. About a thousand people were present and the speaking was in both languages—French and English. Foreseeing a landslide, the liquor party withdrew its forces before the opening of the poll.

VERMONT ITEMS.

Miss Martha J. Tenney, the donor of Newbury's library, died March 21 in Haverhill, Mass.

It is reported that O. L. Hinde Co.'s factory at Richford, that has been closed for some time, is to be started up.

Two members of the St. Johnsbury Seventy Club celebrated birthdays Saturday. Mrs. Philura M. Hoyt was 90 and Mrs. Marietta West 87 years old.

Charles A. Smith, of Brattleboro, has been granted a patent on an automobile starting device through the firm of Davis & Davis, Washington, patent attorneys. The attachment makes possible the starting of the motor from the driver's seat. Mr. Smith has used it successfully on his own machine for several seasons.

The appointment of Congressman D. J. Foster as chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, one of the most important in the House, is cause for congratulation. It is a high tribute to Mr. Foster and an honor to our state. Not in many years has a Vermont Congressman held the chairmanship of such an important committee.—Montpelier Journal.

Canadian Pacific engineers have made surveys here in the past week with a view of putting in either a turn-table or a "Y" on which to turn engines. If a table is decided on it will probably be located north of the scale track, and this action of the railway officials gives our citizens ideas of Richford becoming a terminal for the Canadian Pacific and Boston & Maine railways.

One of the chief reasons for the attack on speaker Cannon is the fact that he is in, and the other fellow wants to be. His virility and strength of character invites criticism on the part of those who deem it their opportunity to get in the limelight. His experience is simply a repetition of that of Tom Reed and others. His service to the country will be appreciated when the sober, sane history of his times is written.

Dr. H. C. Tinkham, dean of the medical department of the University of Vermont, has returned from Baltimore, where he attended a meeting of the Association of American Medical Colleges. Only those colleges having a satisfactory standing are admitted to membership in this association and as the medical department of the University of Vermont is of that standing it is expected it will be admitted next year.

The jury in the case of F. P. Davis vs. Dr. E. G. Stevens, of Orleans, in Orleans county court, reported a disagreement, having been out all night. This is a suit for damages to an oil wagon caused by the alleged negligence of the defendant in leaving his automobile beside the road after a breakdown without any regard to the traveling public. The plaintiff claims that his horses were safe but the defendant left his car in such a position that a covering which was blown by the wind scared the horses. The case attracted the attention of all the automobile owners in this locality and has started a good deal of agitation towards forming an automobile club.

James J. Phelan, of Boston has been chosen as president of the Connecticut Valley Lumber company, to succeed the late George Van Dyke. Mr. Phelan will have his office in Boston and will personally attend to the financial affairs of the concern. For the year ending January 31, 1909, the company cut some 40,000,000 feet of timber from its properties in northern New Hampshire and Vermont. This winter's crop of logs will be about 55,000,000 feet, of which 45,000,000 will be driven down the Connecticut river to Mt. Tom to be cut into lumber, the balance of 10,000,000 feet having been sold as pulp-wood. This is one of the largest drives ever sent down the river. In the winter just closing, 1,000 men and 500 horses have been employed in preparing the timber for the streams, and this spring there will be some 400 men in the woods getting out the timber cut into the tributary streams of the Connecticut river and thence into the main streams, which will carry it to the mills.

That the late Alvin F. Sortwell president of the Montpelier & Wells River railroad and vice-president of the Barre railroad, was several times a millionaire and probably the wealthiest man in Cambridge, Mass., was not generally known hereabouts, although it was supposed that he was wealthy. Mr. Sortwell left no will, and on Saturday Attorney Bancroft G. Davis filed in the probate court at East Cambridge, Mass., a petition that he be granted letters of administration of the estate. No schedule of the property was filed, but prominent Cambridge business men estimate the value of the Sortwell estate at between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000. Mr. Sortwell and members of his family were the chief owners of both the railroads mentioned above, and in addition to these he was largely interested in business and financial circles in Cambridge and Boston. He had inherited much property from his father, Daniel R. Sortwell, and has accumulated much through vigorous application to business.

VERMONT ITEMS.

Abraham Stowe, of West Berkshire, celebrated his 98th birthday March 21.

The first spray of apple blossoms this spring has made its appearance in Barre.

Mrs. Rosalie Wilford, of Williams-town, observed her 98th birthday anniversary March 20.

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Woodward, of Barre, was celebrated March 21.

The deboring of Cannon was done without any assistance from Foster and Plumley, of Vermont. (Plumley voted for the Norris resolution.)

Many of the farmers through the southern section of Addison county began plowing their land Monday. Everything now points to an early spring.

Capt. F. Tompkins, 11th U. S. Cavalry, has been detailed as professor of military service and tactics at Norwich University, retiring Capt. L. A. I. Chapman who will join his regiment in the Philippines.

At the peace congress to be held in Hartford and New Britain, Conn., May 8-11, President John M. Thomas, of Middlebury College, will deliver an address on "The Dynamic of a Successful World Peace movement."

The water in Lake Champlain is now four feet eight inches above low water mark, which is a foot and four inches higher than the same date a year ago. The ice is going out slowly, but the broad lake is still broken up.

There are upwards of five hundred Vermont school children in Washington, D. C., at the present time. Perhaps the Vermont congressman will learn what they were elected for when they see this crowd of eight-seers burst in upon them.

United States Marshal Horace W. Bailey will sell at auction at the Ricker storehouse in St. Johnsbury, April 5 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon 7189 pounds of Canadian unwashed wool. The wool was seized by the government on the ground that it was smuggled into this country.

Guess—yes, we know that the voters throughout the state would be very well satisfied to have the coming state convention get into such a mix-up that some one would spring the name of ex-Governor Proctor for the honor of Governor again. This is all it would take. Stranger things than this have been known to happen.—Waterbury Record.

By to-day probably all of the persons who will help take the census for the district of Vermont will know of their appointment. The successful applicants numbering 292, have been notified by mail of their appointments, but the announcement through the press is held up by Supervisor L. M. Hays, pending release from the bureau at Washington. The work of enumerating will begin April 15, when 65,000 enumerators will enter the field.

The Vermont association of Boston will hold its annual sugaring-off in Mechanics building, Friday evening, April 1. New maple sugar from Vermont and doughnuts made by a Vermont woman will be served as refreshments, as well as cider which came from Reading, Vt., with the usual accompaniments of cheese, pickles, popcorn, apples, etc. Dancing will be enjoyed, Fielding's First Corps Cadet orchestra furnishing music, and other amusements will be provided for those who do not care to dance. Vermonters and their friends will be cordially welcome.

The will of Elsie Warren, of Plainfield, leaves two houses in No. 17 and 19 Foster st., Montpelier, valued at \$3,000, to the Home of Aged Women in Burlington, after the death of certain relatives to whom the income earnings of the property is left during their life. The total estate is valued at \$25,000. The residuary legatee is the Woman's Centenary Association of the National Missionary Society of Washington, D. C. The gift to be known as the Warren Relief fund. Hiram Sparrow, of Montpelier, is made executor of the estate. The will was drawn July 1909.

L. A. Wilson has received a call from the Congregational church in Hardwick to the pastorate of the First Congregational church of Helena, the capital and largest city of Montana. Helena is a city of 25,000 inhabitants and is one of the most enterprising municipalities of that rapidly growing state. In spite of the fact that the members of his church are urging him strongly to remain, Mr. Wilson has practically decided to embrace this opportunity for a more extended field of influence and will consequently leave for Montana early in April. Mr. Wilson had previously planned to go abroad this spring, but his acceptance of the pastorate in Helena necessitates a postponement of his trip. Mr. Wilson's first pastorate was at East Charleston, where he was instrumental in organizing the present Congregational church, and was ordained as its first pastor.

A state wide strike may grow out of the present strike in Philadelphia, one of the most extensive and complete uprisings of labor in the world's history.

RECOVERS WAGES FROM HER FATHER.

The jury in Orleans county court has brought in a verdict for Mamie Allen to recover \$370 and costs from her father, James Allen, of East Charleston, for wages due her for work while at home on different occasions.

Miss Allen's claim was that her father promised to pay her instead of employing a stranger, and after a short time family trouble arose, following her mother's death, about the disposition of the property. Her father offered her \$20 in payment for services, which she refused and later sued her father for \$300.

The case has been tried before Judge Cushman in municipal court at Barton when the decision was in favor of the plaintiff. It was then appealed to county court and has occupied all the time since March 18. The court room has been filled every day, so intense was the interest. Yesterday was given up entirely to the pleas of the attorneys, F. W. Thompson of Barton, and John W. Redmond of Newport, appeared for Mamie Allen and W. H. Roirdan, of Barton, and H. B. Howe, of St. Johnsbury, for the defendant.

HOLLAND.

Received too late for last week.

Mrs. H. F. Moulton, who has been visiting friends in town, returned to her home at Morgan last Sunday.

Erving Lackey is here from New Hampshire visiting his brother, M. R. Lackey.

Mr. Ira Lackey and Miss Hattie Hollaway were married on Wednesday, March 18th, at the bride's home in Stanbridge, Que. Their friends here are united in wishing for them lifelong happiness and prosperity.

G. L. Finney of Derby, is superintending the making of F. R. Moulton's maple sugar product.

SMITH'S MILLS.

Mrs. C. L. Jenkins has returned, after spending the winter at Washington and other places with her mother and sister.

Mr. L. McShane of Maplewood, arrived here last week on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Henry Longeway and son Carroll spent Friday and Saturday at West Derby with relatives.

Intended for last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Y. Brevoort of Griffin, spent one day recently at the home of their son, Wallace Brevoort. Wallace Brevoort lost a nice cow one day recently.

David Trudeau has sold his shop and contents and gone to work for Mr. Beach for a short time.

Albert Baldwin is on the sick list at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Clifford wish to thank the Georgeville friends, who came to their aid in the time of their loss with donations of provision and clothing.

Miss Nancy Brevoort of Griffin, spent last week with her brother, Wallace Brevoort.

Mrs. John Bailey and daughter Olive of West Derby, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. Henry Longeway.

Messrs. Hiram and Sam Brevoort of Griffin spent last Wednesday at the home of their brother, Wallace Brevoort.

Mrs. Herbert Davis of Beebe, spent one day last week with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Longeway.

RUITER'S CORNER.

Sugar parties seem to be the order of the day.

Mr. Thomas Young invited quite a number of his friends and neighbors to eat new sugar at his camp recently.

Mrs. Andrew McNally, who has been quite poorly for several months, is very much improved at this writing.

Mrs. Kinsman is still living, but is very low.

Mrs. Edward Longeway had the misfortune recently to fall down stairs, but fortunately no serious injury only badly shaken up.

Mr. Winfield Hackett of Ottawa, visited at Mr. Jas. McNally's a short time ago.

About forty people gathered at the sugar camp of Albert Hitchcock to eat new sugar a short time ago, which was enjoyed by all.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hitchcock: Mr. Otis Brown and family, Mr. Carl Mosher and little son Wayne, and Harry Dustin from Ayer's Cliff, Mrs. Harry Bigelow of Barton, and Mrs. T. Wilcox and little son Greenville, of Newport.

Indications point to an early spring; it is hoped it may be so.

Mr. E. M. Campbell was a recent visitor at A. C. Hitchcock's.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

The Grand Trunk Railway has issued a circular authorizing all agents in Canada to sell Home-seekers' Excursion tickets to points in Western Canada. This is interesting information for those desiring to take advantage of these Excursions on certain dates from April to September, 1910. The Grand Trunk route is the most interesting, taking a passenger through the populated centres of Canada, through the metropolis of Chicago, thence via Duluth or through Chicago, and the twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul. Ask Grand Trunk agents for further particulars.

FITON BAY.

Mrs. J. J. Hutchinson very pleasantly entertained her Sunday School class at her home one evening last week. The evening was spent in games and socially. Choice refreshments were served.

The funeral services of the late Mr. Hill were held in the Advent Church a week ago Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. Lawrence and Elder Skinner officiating. The choir consisting of Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Merrill, Mr. Rider and Mr. Wyman, gave several selections. Rev. Lawrence spoke from the text, "Night is far spent, day is at hand. Let us therefore cast off the works of darkness and let us put on the armor of light." The bearers were: Mr. Thomas Bailey, Mr. Waite, Mr. Lenny and Mr. Keet. Jason George Hill, aged 73 years and 11 months, died March 19th, 1910, from gastric cancer. Mr. Hill leaves behind him many loyal friends and living relatives. Sincere sympathy is extended to all those who were closely related to him. Earnest thanks are offered to the friends and neighbors who so kindly offered help in the past time of trouble, also for the floral offerings.

Bernie Glasford of Stanstead accompanied Lyle Gustin home to spend their Easter vacation.

Mrs. Fred Rickard has returned from a prolonged visit at Derby.

We are all glad to welcome back to our town Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilcox, who have been spending several months in Lawrence, Mass.

Mr. D. C. Waite has in a fine line of Heney carriages. There are some "beauties" and they remind one that summer is surely on its way and sleighing a thing of the past.

Miss Goldie Longeway spent the Easter holidays with Irene Harvey at Apple Grove.

George Gregory, who has been confined to the bed for the past week, is gaining a little each day.

B. H. Rider has been at Stanstead recently.

Lucius Rand of Stanstead has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Morandville.

Miss Bernice Huckins of Rock Island, spent Sunday with her parents here at the Bay.

Rev. J. J. Hutchinson was at Brigham last week, where he had charge of the funeral of the late Mr. Eli Higgins, a former parishioner of Mr. Hutchinson's.

H. H. White was at Magog the last of last week.

Mrs. Baldwin of Beebe, is visiting Mrs. D. C. Waite.

School was closed last Friday and Monday for the Easter holidays. Miss Davidson was called to Montreal on account of the illness of an aunt, so there was no school Tuesday.

Mrs. Lydia Paul is visiting friends and relatives at St. Johnsbury.

The Easter Cantata given by the choir at the Congregational Church last Sunday evening was a fine success and a rare treat to all lovers of music.

The choir consisted of: Mrs. George Harvey, Miss Edith Temple, alto; Mrs. Hutchinson, Miss Brevoort, soprano; Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. C. Rider, Mr. Hurlburt, bass; Mr. Taylor and Mr. F. H. Rider, tenor; Miss Lena Taylor, organist. The rendering of the cantata showed the result of many hours of faithful practice and unusual musical talent for so small a town.

LIBBYTOWN.

Mr. Grosvener Libby of Sherbrooke, is spending the Easter holidays at the home of his uncle, Mr. C. W. Libby.

Mrs. Watson and little son Reginald, of East Angus, also Miss Flora Paul of Bishop's Crossing, are visiting their parents here.

Mr. Louis Demick and Miss Nancy Demick have been spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. A. J. Breakey.

Miss Bertha Breakey was at home over Sunday.

Miss Rita Libby spent the week-end with her grandparents at Glenhurst Farm.

Mr. Chas. Libby of Ayer's Cliff, visited at Mr. D. L. Paul's on Saturday.

Misses Jessie and Amy Davidson spent the Easter holidays at their home here.

The sugar camp of Mr. A. J. Breakey was destroyed by fire on Monday night, March 21st. The cause of the fire is unknown. This is quite a loss to Mr. Breakey at this busy time of the sugar season.

BOYNTON.

Mr. Wallace Huckins of Troy Vt., a former resident of this place is visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Boynton of Lyndonville Vt., spent the Easter Holidays here.

Miss L. Heath of Sherbrooke, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. N. Perkins. Miss R. Griffin, nurse-in-training of St. Johnsbury hospital, is home for a few days.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Holland took place at the town farm on Tuesday.

Mrs. St. Peters of Orleans is visiting at Mr. G. A. Griffin's.

Mr. J. Davis has gone to Newport to visit his son Mr. E. Davis.

About fifteen couples attended the Easter ball Monday evening at Griffin's Hall. All report an enjoyable time.



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A bang-up Good Driving Harness for \$9.00, and all others at actual cost. Farm Team Harnesses at \$33.00 per pair, also several second-hand harnesses at a bargain.

If you will want anything in the Harness line for the next year it will pay you to investigate; do not delay, first come, first served.

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Notes and Comment

Of Interest to Women Readers

FOR BAKING POTATOES.

Tubers Stuck on Spikes and Cook Evenly All Around.

Hereafter the burned potato will be a thing forgotten in well-appointed households. The epicure need no longer fear the sight of a tuber with one side the color of the earth and the other side the color of Pittsburgh. A Massachusetts man has invented a potato-baking utensil which insures an even cooking all around and through to the very heart of the vegetable. This utensil consists of a long metal plate with opposite rows of V-



shaped incisions, the metal there within having been turned up to form rows of spikes, on which potatoes are ranged. Stuck upon these prongs, the potatoes become thoroughly and uniformly roasted and there is no necessity of turning them from side to side to keep them from becoming scorched in one part. At one end of the bottom plate is a handle piece by which the device may be pushed in or pulled out of the oven without burning the fingers on the hot metal.

For Invalids.

Beef Juice.—Take 1/2 lb. round steak. Heat it slightly in a pan over the fire, then squeeze in a warm lemon squeezer. Season with a little salt. Serve in a colored claret glass, as invalids often object to beef juice on account of the color.

Baked Milk.—Put the milk in a jar, covering the opening with white paper, and bake in a moderate oven until thick as cream. May be taken by the most delicate stomach.

Glycerine and Lemon Juice.—Half and half on a piece of absorbent cotton is the best thing to moisten the lips and tongue of a fever parched patient.

Onion Gruel.—Boil a few sliced onions in a pint of fresh milk, stirring in a little oatmeal and a pinch of salt; boil until the onions become tender and take at once.

COUNTESS SENT TO PRISON.

Lady Constance Lytton Placed in Jail for Taking Part in Suffragette Demonstration.

Lady Constance Lytton and Mrs. H. N. Brailsford, arrested following a suffragette demonstration against



David Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, were sentenced to a month's imprisonment which term she served.

Silk Stockings Indispensable.

Susan B. Anthony was a woman of simple taste in dress, but her close friends knew of one pretty feminine vanity she always held to. She had a weakness for silk stockings. Being pressed on one occasion for an explanation of what most women at one time regarded as an unnecessary extravagance, she laughingly exclaimed: "Oh, I just love 'em. They are an inspiration. If I have my silk stockings on when I rise to make an address, I feel just like I am walking among the clouds. They help me to soar away on flights of eloquence. I wouldn't be without them."

Household Sachet.

A coarse powder to place in sachets among one's clothing is made of these ingredients: Coriander, orris root, rose leaves, aromatic calamus, each one ounce. One or two ounces lavender leaves and one-fourth dram rhodium wood, musk, five grains. A preparation made of this bulk of materials is highly scented, so that it should be sparingly used.

SELLING SUPPLIES TO THE ARMY

The Way to Get Business is to Send Catalogues to the Posts

THE METHOD OF PURCHASING

Our Army is Located in Some Three Hundred Widely Scattered Military Posts and All are in the Market—Bills Received before Payment.

The two chief supply departments of the American army are the commissary and the quartermaster's. The former furnishes all food stuffs, toilet articles and similar supplies.

The latter with few exceptions furnishes all other things needed in the service, principally camp and garrison equipment, ranging from railroads and steamships to cooking utensils and household articles.

In short, says the Bookkeeper, the quartermaster's department comes nearer the goal of a well managed department store than any other branch of the service.

Our army is located in 300 or more widely scattered military posts in the United States, Alaska, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines. At each permanent post or temporary camp there is a commissary and a quartermaster officer who are charged with the supply of the troops serving there.

These officers may not buy the requisite supplies for their respective departments in the open market, except in very rare instances. They must obtain them through depot commissaries or depot quartermasters situated in the principal market centres of the country upon written requisition duly approved by intermediate commanders.

These requisitions state specifically what is needed, and here is where the catalogue comes into helpful use to the officer or his subordinates. From it he chooses the make, description, quality, etc., of the particular items he wants, oftentimes naming the maker and giving the catalogue number from which the information is taken.

Hence the purchasing agent at the depot in the large city, going into the market to buy, calls for the identical article asked for, and as though obeying the mandate of the modern advertiser "accepts no substitute." Large depots continually carry ordinary commodities in stock, such stock often aggregating \$1,000,000 in value. The list usually ranges from road rollers and other heavy hardware to carpet tacks and washing soap.

The Government, it is said, is inevitably the last institution to adopt modern conveniences or new inventions. To-day, when vacuum processes are cleaning the interiors of our homes, the old unsanitary corn broom still sweeps the barracks and the officers' quarters at the military garrison.

It is also quite true that in these days of extensive advertising the army now and then indulges in a few conveniences of the age. When the bicycle held full sway as a pleasure and business conveyance no quartermaster found it possible to get one for official use. Now they are regularly supplied upon requisition, as are automobiles.

All firms doing a national business should send their latest catalogues each year to the quartermaster of each military post as well as to the quartermaster depots in the larger cities. Most maps show the name and location of our garrisoned posts; this failing, application should be made to the War Department for a list showing them.

When once you get the army in the habit of buying your products, as is now the case with reference to certain brands of soap, washing powder, lamp chimneys, stationery, ink, paste, plumbing supplies, etc., it will go on buying them to the exclusion of all other makes for an indefinite period, or until your quality degenerates or is succeeded by more modern contrivances. Uncle Sam is a customer hard to lose once you have made good to him; also the pay is sure yet sometimes slow.

In this latter regard settlement of bills should never be pressed, as it usually requires weeks, if not months, to get vouchers supporting payments ready for the disbursement. Contrary to good business sense, the Government requires a signed receipt before making payment. It frequently occurs that a business house may not receive its check for a long period after signing a receipt certifying that payment has been made in full. Comparatively little of what the army buys is bought under annual contract. Purchases are usually made at frequent intervals on circular proposal, any one having the right to bid.

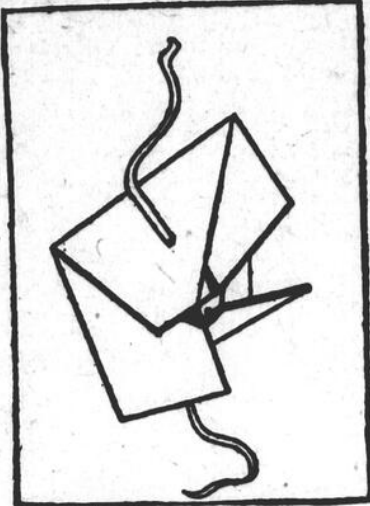
Filling Buttermilk.

The great Dr. Metchnikoff has a buttermilk bug to believe that sour milk can do so much for man. Buttermilk is good, wholesome diet, mainly because it is so flying, especially if taken every day, and therefore is a fairly good thing for old folk and the too fat, for most old people over-enjoy the pleasures of the palate, and a pint of sour milk gives the stomach just about the fullest, tightest sensation it can get from any sort of food.

HANDY PAPER BOX.

Folds Up Flat When It Is Not in Use.

A novelty in paper boxes has been devised by a Georgia man, and, judging by the variety of uses to which the article can be put, it will have a big demand. The novelty consists in the fact that the box folds up flat and



Light But Durable.

can be put into the pocket when not in use. The device is made of heavy paper and so creased that the sides fold in upon each other until they are flat upon the bottom, as in a type of folding purse that has been in vogue for years. When open the whole forms a light, substantial box, for which there is also a suitable cover. To two sides of the box are affixed tapes, which can either be used to tie the lid or can be fastened as to form a handle by which the box can be carried. For candy dealers, especially those who do business on a small scale, such as in booths at parks, etc., these boxes are very convenient, as they take up very little space and answer every purpose. One of these boxes can be put to many uses, for where a man would throw away the ordinary unwieldy receptacle he would fold up this type and bring it home in his pocket.

Prejudice Against the Stage in China.

So great is the official prejudice against the stage in China that it extends even to the children of actors, and these are prohibited from holding any post under Government. Four years ago the grandson of an actor named Cheng was appointed translator to the Chinese Legation at Berlin. Cheng in his day was in the very front of his profession, and ranked as high in the esteem of all classes of society as Sir Henry Irving did in this country. Yet the nomination of his descendant caused an outcry among Chinese officials, and a memorial praying for his removal was presented to the Empress Dowager. The new official, it was pointed out, belonged to the caste of actors, who ranked with barbers and chiropodists as the three lowest classes in the country. The younger Cheng, however, was able to prove that his parents did not follow his grandfather's profession; so the appointment was allowed to stand.

A Tin Cup Trick.

This little trick, performed in a parlor, will make you appear quite a magician.

Get beforehand two perfectly plain tin cups, without handles and with the bottoms sunk about a quarter of an inch, and straight sides. On the sunk bottom of each put some glue, and over it drop some bird's seed, so that it looks as if the cup were full, whereas it is really standing upside down and the layer of seed is glued to the outside bottom.

When you are ready to perform the trick have a bag of the same kind of



Magie for the Parlor.

seed, and, standing off from your audience, hold the cups so that they can see they are empty, but don't allow any one to approach you.

Now take one cup and dip it into the bag of seed, but instead of filling it turn it upside down, so that when you take it out the seed glued to the bottom will show, and everyone will think it is full.

Place the apparently full cup of seed under a hat, but in doing so dexterously turn it so that the empty cup is upright and the glued seed at the bottom. Don't let your audience see this turn.

Now take the other cup, which is empty, and let them see you put it under another hat, but also turn this one so that they do not see you do it. This brings the seed to the top and looks as if the cup were full, and when you remove the hat, after pronouncing some magic words, it will look as if the cups had changed places.

Remove the cups before anyone has a chance to examine them.

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SUSPENDERS.

This one word is a household one, for as long ago as we can remember, we can see a picture of an old-fashioned farm house kitchen with its brick fireplace, the backlog and front-log in evidence, with great-grandfather sitting at one side in an old basket bottomed kitchen rocker, smoking his T. D., and great-grandmother on the opposite side of the fire in a low, easy sewing rocker; stopping now and then to rap her black enamel snuff box and take a pinch of rose scented brown maccaboys, as she knitted away on the writer's first suspenders, made of blue all wool yarn, that was only left in the dye pot long enough to get the blue that is only gray, and the results showed that "granny" spun it fine and twisted it hard so that the webbing would be firm. The leather button hole ends "grandier" cut from the leg of an old calfskin boot, and we were equipped with the necessary tackle to do our first long trousers.

As we went through the Globe Suspenders Co.'s plant recently, the boyhood experience here referred to was brought vividly to mind, we could see the crane with its pot hooks and the teakettle silhouetted against the firelight. Many a time in those happy days have we popped corn and roasted big red pippin apples suspended on a sharpened birch stick in front of this great open fire, and as we popped and toasted we slipped the sweetest of cider from a yellow mug ornamented with white rings, the cider poured from a brown and white mottled earthen pitcher.

As we examined carefully present day methods of suspender making, it made the old way seem pre-historic, but the contrast enabled us to the better appreciate the improved process of manufacture. It was all deeply interesting, it was an hour very profitably spent. We noted the orderly operation of the labor saving that was in evidence in every part of the plant; the work rooms were light and comfortable, showing that the owners realized the economy of pleasant and comfortable surroundings for their employees. The stock rooms and shipping department revealed a fine system for handling everything to obviate unnecessary handling, thereby reducing the shop expense item to a minimum. Everything is very modest and unpretentious, but it seemed to us that efficiency was very near the highest mark. We thought that if great-grandmother could see the webbing cut to suspender length, the leather ends, buckles and parts assembled and a pair of suspenders completed while she was knitting across one, she would perhaps feel as Benjamin Franklin might to communicate with some friend by telephone and see a room lighted by the wonderful energy that his kite and string experiment revealed to him. As we measured the modest success of the Globe Suspenders Co., we were led to wonder why other lines could not be successfully manufactured and distributed from this center. Rock Island has an enviable reputation for its manufactured products, all over the Dominion, and anything used in the Provinces could be made or jobbed from this point with a fair measure of success. We have in mind, hats, umbrellas, boots, shoes and rubbers, teas, coffees and spices, tobacco and cigars and many sundry lines.

MAGOG.

On Monday evening a large number of friends gathered at the home of Miss Edith Powers on College street, to remind her of her twenty-first birthday. The evening was merrily spent in dancing and games, besides social chat. Much credit and praise is due to Miss Lillian Rexford, who presided at the piano. Dainty refreshments were served, including cakes and coffee. The presents were all very nice, including a lovely locket and chain from her mother and sisters. At a late hour the young folks parted, all wishing Edith many more happy birthdays.

Misses Edith and Christie Powers spent Good Friday at Millette with Mr. C. Powers.

Mrs. J. Bice has returned home from a week's stay at North Troy, Vt., with her daughter, Mrs. J. Pike.

W. E. Rollins spent the Easter holidays at his home at Ayer's Cliff.

Mrs. W. Adelt of Montreal is in town the guest of Mrs. N. S. Knowlton.

Little Ivy Keet is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Knowlton are both suffering with an attack of la-grippe.

Christopher Hargreaves spent Good Friday in Sherbrooke with friends.

WAYS MILLS.

Miss Mabel Hovey spent her Easter vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hovey.

Mr. F. J. Wilkinson was in Ayer's Cliff on Sunday.

Mr. Raymond Peacock of Stanstead visited at Farnum Daniels on Friday.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Locke at Fairfax on Sunday.

Mrs. Thompson who as reported last week fell and broke her rib is very seriously ill with rheumatic fever.

Master Douglas Converse has been ill the past week with chicken-pox.

Miss Myrtle Chadsey of Stanstead College spent Sunday evening with her friend, Mrs. Hiram Wheeler.

William Buckland has been ill for the past two weeks at the home of his grand-parents in Coaticook. He is now much better and has returned home.

Willie Dyson has commenced to attend the Hatley Model School.

N. G. Wheeler of West Derby was at H. F. Clifford's on Tuesday.

F. J. Wilkinson has commenced his spring's ploughing.

CASWELL'S MILLS.

Mrs. M. L. Ames and Mrs. Thomas of Morgan were in town one day last week, the guests of Mrs. Turton Hill. Mrs. Frank Wheeler was in Derby a few days last week.

Mr. M. B. Pinney was in Newport one day last week on business.

Minnie F. Flynn, who has been working in Lenoxville the past winter, has returned home for a few weeks.

Mr. Ed. Chapman of South Barnston was in town last week.

Mrs. Horn and daughter of Heath-ton were in town last week.

Mr. A. M. Lebaron is sick with erysipelas.

Mrs. Reece of Newport has been stopping with her brother, G. H. Gray.

Mrs. Amanda Brownell is at Derby Line caring for her sister, Mrs. Yeates.

Elder H. D. Selby has a new People's telephone installed in his house.

Elder Chas. McClure of West Derby preached a very interesting sermon at the A. C. Church last Sunday.

BROWN'S HILL.

Mr. A. F. Curtis was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. P. Stickland, at Ayer's Cliff, last week.

Mayflowers were picked by two different parties on Tuesday, Mar. 29. This is rather early for such flowers.

Some of the farmers are doing their spring ploughing. The ground is as dry as it would be in the month of June.

Mr. Talbot Rexford of Ayer's Cliff spent the Easter holidays with his sister, Mrs. A. W. Brown.

Mr. Willie Martin returned home from Windsor Que., on Tuesday last.

Miss Allie McGowan of Georgeville, was the guest of her friend, Miss Pearl Brown, over Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Nourse of Newport, Vt., has been spending a few days at her uncle's Mr. Geo. Vaughan, and with other relatives.

Misses Pearl and Vera Brown of Beebe were home over Sunday.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hutchison of Fitch Bay spent a couple of days last week at Mr. E. E. Temple's.

Mr. J. O. Rollins and Lorand attended the funeral of his father, Mr. John Rollins, at McConnell last Sunday.

CURRIERS.

There has been but little sugar made about here and the weather is too warm for sap to run now.

Clinton Manning from Stanstead College and Miss Myrtle Manning from Granby, spent the Easter holidays with their parents.

W. E. Huckins from Georgeville has been in the place the past week.

Mr. Hartley McFarlane and mother were recent guests of her sister, Mrs. H. Bryant, at Millington.

Mrs. H. S. Newton from Warden spent a few days at the home of her father, C. C. Manning.

Mr. C. Juby from Knowlton, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. Stone.

Miss M. A. Bachelder closes school here on Friday. She will go to Ayer's Cliff for the summer.

GRIFFIN.

There were two bright and hearty services on Easter Day, first the Celebration of the Holy Communion at 9:30 a. m., the Rev. F. G. Vial, B. D., of Lenoxville being Celebrant. The 3 o'clock service in the afternoon was taken by the Rector, who preached a most eloquent sermon to a large and appreciative congregation. Our services are well attended, all keeping up great interest.

Misses Corinne and Nelida Vessot, of Stanstead College, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. George Soutiere, "Broadview Farm" for Easter.

Miss Soutiere spent the Easter holidays with her mother.

Mr. Lucius R. McShane of Maplewood, N. H., visited friends here recently.

GRANITEVILLE.

The Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. George Moir on Wednesday, April 6th.

Mr. John O'Leary is gaining slowly, although not very strong yet.

Mr. P. S. DeMay from Middletown, Conn., spent the Easter holidays here with his family.

We were glad to see our pastor in his usual place on Sunday. Although not strong, he is improving.

Master Ivan Hogen of Sherbrooke, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Russell Rediker.

Quite a quantity of sugar has been made and it is of excellent quality.

The many friends of Mrs. Daniel Tryon will be sorry to know that she is in very poor health, not able to sit up.

Mr. E. B. Tryon and Mrs. J. E. Scott drove to Magog on Saturday to see her. Mrs. Scott will remain with her for a time. Mr. Tryon returned on Monday.

The roads are in a very bad condition just at present.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Dennison Ward is so poorly. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ward of West Derby, visited her on Sunday.

Miss Tillie Guerin is staying at the home of her brother, Mr. A. L. Guerin, at present.

BARNSTON.

There was no service in the Baptist Church Sunday as Rev. Mr. Lowe was at Way's Mills officiating at the funeral service of the late Mrs. Locke. This good lady was noted for her generous philanthropy and her demise is a severe loss to the community.

Next Sunday there will be a Lord's Day Alliance Union Service in the Baptist Church, at which Rev. L. Fisher of the Methodist Church will deliver the sermon. Rev. Mr. Lowe will also be present and will conduct the preliminary exercises.

Mrs. M. Martin spent last Friday at the Baptist parsonage, the guest of Rev. and Miss Lowe.

Mr. James Parsons is home from Hebron, Vt., for two weeks.

Mrs. G. A. Hadlock spent the Easter holidays in Montreal.

Miss Smith, principal of the Model School, spent her Easter holidays at her home in Keath, P. Q.

The Literary Society, which should have met Friday evening with Mrs. J. N. Jenks at The Woodlands, is postponed owing to April Fool Social being appointed for the same evening, in the Town hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church.

MCCONNELL.

Mr. John Rollins, an old resident, who has lived nearly all his lifetime in Hatley township, passed away rather unexpectedly on Friday last at the home of Mr. Herbert Brown.

Mr. Rollins was about eighty one years of age, and is survived by two sons, Clarence of Georgeville and James of Brown's Hill, also two daughters, Mrs. Orin Brown of this place and Mrs. Ellen Boardman, of Lowell, Mass.

Funeral services were conducted at this place by Rev. G. W. Chapman on Sunday P. M.

Mrs. M. Leavitt is visiting her son Mr. John Leavitt in Morgan, Vt.

Making the Schoolhouse Shine.

Every community has at least one building which it owns in common: that is the schoolhouse. It is built by everybody, and belongs to everybody.

It ought to be of benefit to everybody. Of course the initial and essential use of a schoolhouse is to provide shelter for the child while they learn their lessons. But it ought to do a great deal more for them than that. It ought to educate them in taste, in the appreciation of art, and in the knowledge of beauty, and thus increase their resources of happiness. This may be done by making the building and the grounds in which it stands as beautiful as the neighborhood can afford, and by adorning the rooms with casts and prints of the best statues and pictures. This is not expensive. A house with good lines and simple dignity may even cost less than one which every day affronts the landscape, and casts and prints may be had for small prices.

In the beautifying of the public school there are two facts to have in mind. One of these is expressed in the phrase, "the almighty hall." This was used by a great schoolmaster to emphasize the vast and abiding influence of our surroundings. Unconsciously and inevitably the looks of the building make a difference in the life of the people who live in it. The bare little white schoolhouse at the crossroads, whose only decoration is a flagpole at the gable of the roof, is a symbol of the dullness and monotony of agricultural conditions. Both the conditions and the symbol of them may easily be improved. Cover the blank walls with vines and plant flowers.

The other fact is that children will respond to these endeavors. The school committee may say that no flowers will grow in school grounds, and that hanging pictures on the walls is like hanging pearl necklaces on swine. They say that children are destructive pests, and that the only wise course is to fit them out as far as possible with indestructible surroundings. But it does not work that way. Experience proves that children will respond. They will take care of the things which signify that people care for them. Let us make the schoolhouse shine, and we venture to say it will illuminate the faces of the children.—Ladies Home Journal.

James Bellows McGregor, 108 years old, New Hampshire's oldest man and believed to be the oldest Free Mason in the world, died Wednesday the 23rd. He was born September 1801 and was made a mason in 1826.

Police Commissioner Baker of New York has announced that in compliance with Mayor Gaynor's letter he has ordered that hereafter no prisoner be measured or photographed for the Rogues' Gallery unless he has been tried and convicted, or has pleaded guilty to the commission of a crime.

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MARRIED.

GOTHORP-BRYANT—At the home of the bride's parents, Apple Grove, March 23, 1910, by Rev. John Foxworth, Mr. Arthur P. R. Gothorp to Miss May Bryant, both of Apple Grove.

DIED.

SWENEY—At Hatley March 30th, 1910, at the home of R. Emery, Mr. Thomas Sweeney, aged 87 years and 3 months.

LOCKE—At her home near Fairfax, Que., March 28, 1910, Mary A. Locke, aged 85 years and 6 days.

Children Teething

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, WITH PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Good Driving Horse, eight years old, coal black, tough as a bullet, will road 50 miles a day. Owner has no barn for him.

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PIANO FOR SALE.

I have a Merrill upright piano that is a fine one, that I wish to sell. Some farmer may want one for a daughter: it will exchange for a horse. The price is right.

E. A. BODEY, Derby Line, Vt.

WARNING.

ANNUAL VILLAGE MEETING.

The legal voters of the village of Derby Line, Vt., are hereby notified to meet at the Derby Line Hotel, in said village of Derby Line, on Tuesday, April 6th, 1910, at seven o'clock, to transact the following business:

1st. To choose a Moderator.

2nd. To hear and dispose of village officers' report.

3rd. To hear report of special committee in regard to the method of raising money to pay for stock in the International Water Company, which was subscribed for three years ago, in accordance with the vote taken at the annual meeting of that year.

4th. To see if the village will vote to raise money by taxes for village purposes for the ensuing year, and if so, how much.

5th. To see whether the village will vote to collect taxes for the year ensuing through its Treasurer, and allow discounts as permitted by law.

6th. To see if the village will vote to build any concrete, or granite sidewalks during the ensuing year, and if so, to provide for the resulting expense of same.

7th. To see if the village will appoint a committee to take into consideration a revision of its by-laws.

8th. To see if the village will ask the Legislature of Vermont to amend its Charter in regard to its officers.

9th. To elect officers for the ensuing year.

10th. To transact any other business that may be legally brought before the meeting.

11th. To adjourn.

F. G. BUTTERFIELD, Chairman.

FRED S. LAYTHE, Trustee.

JERRY A. HUNT, Trustee.

CHARLES A. MOULTON, Trustee.

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STRAYED OR STOLEN.

From the office of the Eastern Townships Bank, Rock Island, about noon of Tuesday, March 15th, an English Bull Dog, color white, with a black patch over one eye. A liberal reward will be given for information leading to its recovery. S. STEVENS.

WANTED—By the first of April, a Woman to work for Mrs. J. W. Bay, Rock Island; light work and light wages. Apply in person or by letter to Mrs. C. W. Vaughan, Ayer's Cliff.

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AYER'S CLIFF.

Easter was observed in both churches by appropriate services and many beautiful flowers in potted plants and cut blossoms. At the Congregational church, besides the Easter hymns, the choir gave an anthem appropriate to the occasion, and Miss Ruth Libby of Stanstead College, a solo. At the Episcopal church anthems were rendered by the choir at both the early communion and the afternoon service, to which the congregation were called for the first time by the new bell, which was raised to its place during the week previous. This bell was brought from England and it is expected that later others will be added to form a chime.

On Monday afternoon the funeral of the late Thomas Sweeney of East Hatley, was held at the Congregational Church. Rev. Mr. Goudie of East Hatley, officiated and hymns were sung by the choir of the Congregational church. The burial was in the cemetery at the rear of the church here beside his late wife. Mr. Sweeney was a native of Hatley, and after spending a part of his life in California, returned here for his last years where he had few relatives, but many friends. He was tenderly cared for at the home of his niece, Mrs. Richard Emery, where he died at the age of 82 years.

Mr. C. E. Standish returned from St. Hyacinthe Dairy School on Thursday of last week.

Miss Laura Mayhew and Miss Gertrude Lintot of Canterbury, Que., were guests of Miss Opal Standish over Easter.

Mr. Will Wood, clerk for I. S. Melloon, expects to leave Ayer's Cliff April 1st. He has won many friends here who wish him success.

Mr. McClatchie has bought Ned Hartson's horse and rig.

A. E. Hurd is putting in new hitching posts near his store, which are a great improvement.

Mrs. Berry is so much better that she is able to get about the house by the aid of a crutch.

The many friends of Miss Ethel McDonald, who has spent the winter with friends in Nova Scotia, will be pleased to know that she is much improved in health.

Miss Lillian Drew is quite ill and under the care of Dr. Brown, at her grandfather's, Mr. E. W. Sargent's.

Mrs. Irving and Elmer Place returned to Orleans on Tuesday, after spending Easter with their mother.

Mrs. Geo. Young spent Easter at Coaticook.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rand entertained at whist on Monday evening.

Miss Florence Place and Mr. Ed. Owen of North Hatley, spent Easter in town.

Mr. A. A. Drew returned home on Saturday evening, after spending two weeks with relatives in Greenfield and Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. M. Hand received on Sunday the sad news of the death of her mother, Mrs. Levey, of pneumonia. Mrs. Levey had for several summers spent some time with her daughter and had many friends at the Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Heath and son Earle, spent Easter at Derby Center, Vt.

Miss Una Webster, of McDonald College, spent the Easter holidays with her parents.

Miss Pearl Halliday of Sawyerville, spent Easter at Mr. A. E. Fish's.

Miss Flora Paul of Bishop's Crossing Model School, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Rexford was in Newport on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McFadzean returned to Kingston on Tuesday.

A. E. Hall went to Hyde Park, Vt., Monday on business.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Fred Robinson on Tuesday, April 5th.

The Ladies Guild meets on Thursday of this week with Mrs. W. E. Hurd.

Three freight cars were badly derailed here on Tuesday afternoon.

Last week's shipment of pulp and ties consisted of twenty-one cars of ties and forty cars of pulp wood.

From another correspondent.

Arrivals and departures: Master Roy Clough and Helen Fish home from College; Miss Halliday of Marbleton, visiting friends; Mrs. Merrick and Mrs. Oliver of Magog, to attend the funeral of their uncle, the late Thomas Sweeney; Mrs. A. E. Fish to Toronto, to visit friends; Mr. and Mrs. J. McFadzean to Kingston, where he has employment in a cheese factory; Mr. A. Slack of Sherbrooke, at Mr. Cass's.

Mr. and Mrs. V. McFadzean visited his brother James here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Clifford were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening by a cousin, Mr. W. Hucksins, whom they had not seen for twenty-three years, coming to visit them. Mr. Hucksins now resides in Troy, Vt.

The new bell which has been placed in St. George's Church, rang for the first time on Easter Sunday, and was very musical, it being a chime.

The funeral of the late Thomas Sweeney took place here on the Congregational church here on Monday.

Easter Sunday was observed in the churches by appropriate services and special music, also Holy Communion.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. F. J. Robinson Tuesday, April 5th.

The streets and sidewalks are nearly dry and the weather is fine.

Mr. B. Plumley of Boston, has been the guest of his niece, Mrs. C. Cass, this week. Mr. Cass has made some very nice maple sugar.

At a regular meeting of Alexandra Lodge, No. 69, I. O. O. F., it was moved, seconded and unanimously carried that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to the ladies of Ayer's Cliff and vicinity for their kind assistance at the Dedication and Banquet on Mar. 17th, which so largely contributed to the success of the event.

SEESE.

There will be a baseball meeting at the Frontier Club Room on April 13th, at 8 o'clock. It is expected that one of the strongest teams in this vicinity will be organized. All are welcome.

CARD OF THANKS.

F. W. Mansur and family desire to express their sincere thanks and gratitude to all who assisted them in any way during their late bereavement. They wish to especially thank the officers and men of the S. L. Dragoons and the choir for their part in the funeral services.

MASSAWIPPI.

The river road to the Cliff is impassable of late and the other route a bit longer is used. All roads are at their worst.

Mrs. Geo. Kesar has sold her farm to a family of three brothers and four sisters from the state of Rhode Island, who have taken possession and are moving in.

Mr. John Sweeney of Island Pond attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Thomas Sweeney at Ayer's Cliff on Monday and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Robinson here over that night. He lived here when a young lad with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweeney, in the house now owned by Mr. H. Stone on the corner of the Stanstead and Cliff roads.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tarcott of North Hatley, were in town last Sunday.

Miss Bernice Hunting is ill, also Miss Esther Carter at Mrs. Bean's, but we trust not for long.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young of Lynn, Mass., who were here in their "auto", last fall and took quite a number of snap shots about the place, have recently remembered several friends by sending them some of the views taken, which they were much pleased to get.

Mr. Chilson, after being more comfortable lately, is again having very poor days and nights.

Mr. Ed. Hurd spent Easter Sunday at the "Cliff."

There were Easter services here Sunday by a student of Montreal.

Our thoughtful friend, Miss Agnes Taylor, of Montreal, sent a quantity of lovely blossoms, tulips, roses and daisies to decorate the church, which act was highly appreciated, and at her request the sick and aged received them afterwards to their delight.

Mrs. H. Hitchcock spent Easter at Sherbrooke with her daughter.

Miss Christina Harvey of Montreal, and Herbert Harvey of Sherbrooke, were at home here for a few days at Easter.

Miss Ludinda Lord is again very ill at Mr. L. Call's.

Miss Alice Groggs of Sherbrooke, spent Easter and a few days with Miss A. Hitchcock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Murray continue quite poorly to the regret of all.

Mr. E. A. St. Dizier has purchased a McLaughlin-Buick automobile from the LeBaron firm of Sherbrooke.

We are led to understand that Mr. Roy Hovey of Boston (a Hatley boy) may be expected this way in his automobile this summer.

Surely our Hatley boys are "making good."

BRESETE CORNER.

Mrs. Julia Plumley, who has spent the winter at the home of her brother, Mr. J. W. McConell, has gone to North Hatley to visit relatives. She will celebrate her 89th birthday on April 1st. Her niece, Miss Helen LeBaron, will pass her 17th milestone on the same day.

Word has been received from Mr. George Lawrence, who is suffering from typhoid fever in the Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital, that he is improving.

Mrs. Richard Springins, Miss Lilla Springins and Mrs. J. H. Robinson are spending the Easter holidays in Montreal.

Mrs. J. J. McRoe is in Toronto for the Easter holidays.

Mr. Lewis Hucksins, of the firm of Hucksins & Drew, Rock Island, was in town on business Saturday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with the Misses E. and A. Wadleigh on Wednesday, April 6th.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Baptist Church, will meet with Mrs. Lewis Turner on Saturday, April 2nd.

Swallows made their appearance here on March 25th. Rather unusual visitors for March.

Mrs. J. Putney is quite sick with the prevailing bad cold at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Webster.

Many thanks are due the ladies who have in turn acted as secretaries at the North Hatley library during the past winter, for their steady attendance, the able and courteous way they have filled this onerous position.

APPLE GROVE

Miss Goldie Longway of Fitch Bay, was the guest of Miss Hazel Irene Harvey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingham, Rev. Mr. Shinn of Fitch Bay, visited at Mr. A. Bissell's recently.

Miss Flora Bryant was at home for the Easter holidays from her duties as principal of the North Hatley high school.

Mrs. Eugene Moulton and children of Rock Island, visited her parents a few days last week.

Mr. Belle Martin is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Squires at Newport Center.

Mr. B. H. Rider and Mr. F. Carr of Fitch Bay, were the guests of Mr. Alliston Harvey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fox of Beebe, visited at Mr. C. Quebec's one day last week.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bryant, Wednesday, the 23rd inst., when their daughter, Miss Ina M. Bryant, became the bride of Arthur F. Gottrup. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Fowkes of Georgeville, and was witnessed only by the families and a very few friends.

The happy couple will reside at Edgewood. Heartly congratulations.

Mr. D. Peebles and daughter, Miss Susie Peebles, spent Sunday at R. H. Bissell's.

Mr. Alfred Bissell was at Stanstead Tuesday on business.

AYER'S CLIFF CREAMERY.
Ranks Among the First in the Prices Paid Patrons.

At the recent annual meeting of the creamery, the following figures taken from the auditor's report, show a good record for the year 1909.

No. of lbs. of butter made during the year, 83,291, which sold at the average price of 23 1/2 cts. per lb. and netted the patrons after paying expenses, \$23,731.98, which was an average of 24 1/2 cts. per lb. butter fat.

The price of making the coming season will remain unchanged. Two cents for delivered cream, and 2 1/2 cents when it is gathered. This pays all expenses to patrons. The reputation of this creamery, with the same butter-maker, insure the same high prices the coming year.

NORTH HATLEY.

Mrs. C. M. Holt and daughter of Montreal, are here overseeing the finishing of their new house. They are stopping at Mr. A. W. Bean's.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Call of Brown's Hill, were guests of Mrs. A. J. Conner the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. LeBaron arrived here on Thursday, after spending the winter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Call spent the week-end at Brown's Hill, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Call.

A. P. LeBaron was driving boarders at Waterville Monday.

D. Saultry spent the week-end at his home in Compton.

Mrs. L. H. Taylor was in Montreal calling on relatives the first of the week.

Sugaring is at its best now. Many of our summer birds are back earlier than usual.

Ties and pulp wood are being removed from the station yard.

Mr. Murry McClary has moved to town.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hovey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hovey, Mrs. W. B. LeBaron, daughter Maude and son Carl, Miss Pauline Bradley, Miss Carrie Hovey, Messrs. Waldo and John A. Hovey, all of Sherbrooke, were guests of C. O. LeBaron last Tuesday, where they had refreshments; then going to the sugar bush to a fine sugaring off, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCrea of North Hatley. Through the kindness of A. P. LeBaron they were conveyed from the station, returning the same day.

Owing to the absence of the pastor of the Universalist Church from the village during the greater part of last week, the lecture on Theodore Parker and Unitarianism, which was to have been given at the church last Sunday evening, was postponed to next Sunday. Therefore the lecture will be given Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. This is the next before the last of the series. On Sunday evening, April 24, the series will close with a lecture on Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy and Christian Science.

The annual Easter offering, taken at the Universalist Church on Easter morning, was not received last Sunday and a special offering will be asked for next Sunday. This offering is made for the State and Provincial Convention of which this parish is a part. It will be received next Sunday at the morning service.

A business meeting of the Y. P. C. U. will be held at the home of Mr. Nelson LeBaron on Monday evening, April 4th, at 7.30. All the members of the union in connection with the Universalist church are asked to make a special effort to be present at this meeting.

The Home Department in connection with the Universalist Sunday School has a large membership. New quarterlies to the members of the class were distributed Monday. There are now twenty-four families interested in this feature of Sunday School work.

Easter services were well attended and the church was beautifully decorated with flowers.

EAST STANSTEAD.

Intended for last week.

The A. C. prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Aldrich on Thursday evening.

Much sympathy is felt in this vicinity for our stage driver and family in their recent trouble.

Mr. Charles Bliss has already made about 1100 pounds of sugar.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Libby have moved onto the farm he purchased last fall of Mr. F. Morrill.

Miss Mamie Lapoint has closed her school for the Easter holidays.

Miss Annie Kezar has finished her school at Brown's Hill.

Mr. Winfield Hastings, who has been staying with his sister, Mr. Aldrich, has returned to his home.

Mrs. M. L. D. Hastings is quite indisposed with a sprained ankle.

DYSPEPSIA ON THE DECLINE.
Seaver's Dyspepsia Tablets Cure Forty-nine Cases out of Fifty.

Why anyone in Derby Line should continue to suffer with indigestion when a box of SEAEVER'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS will cure, is certainly a mystery. J. T. Flint has been selling SEAEVER'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS for some time, and I know from actual experience right in my own store just what SEAEVER'S FAMOUS DYSPEPSIA TABLETS will do, and if you inquire of J. T. Flint the druggist he will tell you he never knew a remedy to prove so decidedly beneficial in the treatment of indigestion, dyspepsia, palpitation, sleeplessness, and other forms of stomach trouble.

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They are Natty and Chic, and Hang and Fit better than any other make.



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act directly on the kidneys, toning them up and helping them to clear the blood of the Uric Acid. If the Rheumatism is of long standing it may take some time to clear out all the poison, but almost from the first "No. 7" Tablets relieve the pain, and if used faithfully they rarely fail to cure.

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BOYNTON GRIST MILL

1 Car of Kiln Dried Corn just unloaded.

Flour and Feed of all kinds.

WANTED—Bass and Brown Ash Logs.

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Having decided to sell out all my Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, I will sell them regardless of Cost until closed out.

Dress Goods and Trimmings,
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Roll Curtains and Lace Curtains,
Silks for Dresses and Waists,
Ladies' Jackets and Skirts,
Ladies' Wrappers and Sweaters,
Gingham, Flannellettes and Wrapperets
Ladies' and Gents' Underwear,
Children's Underwear,
Gents and Boys Overcoats,
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Gents and Boys Suits,
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25 p. c.

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Discount

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All new this winter

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4 lbs. Raisins,
4 lbs. Candy,
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Corset Covers, 25 and 50c. Drawers, 25 and 50c.
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OUR 20 CENT CANDY SALE

with sugar at about 6 cents per pound, 20 cents should buy a pound of excellent candy. We have it and you may have it. 40 cent Chocolates at 20 cents.

F. W. D. MELLOON,

WHAT WE CAN DO.

We can sell you a dollar bottle of SEAYER'S SYRUP OF TAR AND WILD CHERRY COUGH CURE for 50 cents and if it is not the best you ever used, bring the empty bottle back to us and get your money back. We will give it to you cheerfully and without argument.

J. T. FLINT.



LABOR SAVING FROM GERMANY.

Building Can Be Made, at Moderate Cost, Grain Storage and Water Plant.

The accompanying drawings partly outline a building recently planned by the writer and now being erected in western Minnesota, writes F. L. Marsh in Farm, Stock and Home. It



A Handy Granary.



Ground Floor. Second Floor.

is small, but contains many things which save labor on the farm, and the capacity is very fully utilized. It is hardly possible to get as much saving of labor and time out of any other structure of the size as the one devoted to the purposes for which this will be used.

A basement half the size of the building has cement floor and is made warm. In this is an air pressure water supply tank filled from a well just outside the building. This carries sufficient pressure to throw water over any farm building. Water flows from the tank to the house, barn, yards, etc. All is made frost proof.

A bucket elevator runs to bottom of basement. This takes grain from the wagon and places it in any bin in the building. Grain flows to it from all bins, and can thus be stored, aired if damp, mixed, cleaned, sacked or ground without hand lifting, spouts connecting all parts.

The second story is used for grain storage and has a convenient stairway and good lighting and ventilation. More grain can be stored than with the common arrangement.

In the first story is a room for cleaning and grinding grain, shelling corn, etc. This has a wood floor. The engine room has space for gasoline engine and any machinery likely to cause dirt or dampness. Cream separator room is plastered and finished with as little woodwork as possible. The floors of these two rooms are of cement and are pitched so they can be washed with a hose. A chimney is provided.

Two lines of shafting carry pulleys for driving elevator, grinder, corn sheller, fanning mill, cream separator, churn, pump, grindstone, emery wheel, washing machine, etc., and power can be conveyed to other buildings. There is room in the basement for a second tank for a soft water supply, tank to be filled from a cistern. Such a building can be made, at moderate cost, a complete grain storage, water supply and power plant for the farm.

Farm Notes.

Add a little powdered chalk to common glue to make the glue stronger.

A cheap paint is made from a solution of borax and water with linseed oil.

Pull and burn every weed you can reach.

Remove all dead stalks and dried leaves from the flower beds.

Pile potting soil in the sun to sweeten, turning often.

Transplant shrubs and vines as soon as the foliage ripens.

For transplanting choose a rainy time and disturb the roots as little as possible.

Keep all flowering plants from maturing seeds, perennials as well as annuals, if you want late blooms.

Give chrysanthemums manure water, not too strong, and quit topping them. Remove many buds if you want large flowers.

Get sand, soil, gravel and manure and store where they can be reached when wanted. Put a boxful away in the cellar.

Sow pansy seeds and transplant those started last month into prepared beds. Have the cold frames read for them.

Many plants and shrubs must be transplanted this month to insure bloom next season.

Fruit and Poultry.

Where fruit trees are grown along with poultry their mature more rapidly, begin their bearing at least one year earlier, at the same time the trees furnish comfortable windbreaks for the early chicks and cool shade for the late broods. Hence, fruit and poultry grown together are most remunerative.

Cut Weeds in Corn.

It is a good plan to go over the field of corn after cultivation is done and cut out stray weeds that escape the cultivator. A good hand can make from \$3 to \$10 a day killing these big weeds in corn.

EARLY GRECIAN COINAGE.

Mark on Gold Ingots to Guarantee Weight and Purity.

The invention of coinage is due to the bankers of Halcarnassos and adjacent Asia Minor Greek colonies, who toward the end of the eighth century B. C. began stamping the small gold and electron ingots which passed through their hands as currency with a mark of some sort intended to guarantee the weight and purity of the metal; such ingots very soon assumed a round and more regular shape, which we find already in old silver coins from Aegina, nearly contemporary with Asia Minor "beans."

Curious to say, none of the surrounding peoples with whom the Asiatic and European Greeks were in constant communication, political or commercial, took up the wonderful invention which at present seems to us of such obvious necessity that we scarcely realize how the civilized world of old could have got on without it.

Ever-Busy Woman.

A newspaper writer, sympathizing with women because there is no longer any cradle to rock, or hardly a baby to care for, no home schooling necessary in the presence of the modern kindergarten, no sewing to do in this ready-made age, little housework in this day of flats and suites and restaurants and prepared foods, asks with concern: What are we going to do with the woman out of a job? Let him put that question face to face to his woman acquaintances and dollars to doughnuts he will find them all so busy trying to keep up with their engagements that they won't have time to answer his foolish questions.

A Plea for a Real Home.

There is no subject of greater importance than that of home and home life. Almost everything of interest to the individual, to the nation and to the world is bound up in home life. If the home life of a nation is vicious or not what it should be, the nation can never rise to an exalted position. Home to many people is simply a place where they eat and sleep. Home should be a place where the father, mother and children can enjoy themselves better than at any other place on earth. The attractive feature of most homes is that there is no formality, no stiffness, no forms of etiquette to interfere with comfort—Woman's Life.

Johnny's Warning.

A little boy who always guessed at everything was asked by his teacher how many gods there were. First he guessed two, then three, whereupon the teacher punished him and sent him home. On his way home he met another boy and asked him where he was going. "To Sunday school," said the other. "You'd better not go there. She'll ask you how many gods there are." "Well, I know how many gods there are. There is one," said number two. "Yes, you go there with your little one god. I 'lowed there were three and she nearly knocked my head off."

Value of Trees in Cities.

There is no well populated country in the world which has so many well wooded towns as Holland. Most of our streets and canal banks have avenues of trees. These abundant growths in thickly populated cities are highly useful and hygienic as well as ornamental. The great European capitals should follow this example.—Hague Handelsblad.

For the Spelling Class.

"I prophesy an agreeable ecstasy in perceiving the unparalleled embarrassment of a harassed postilion while gauging the symmetry of a potato peeled by a sibyl." Dictate this sentence and find how many of your friends will be able to spell it aright!

Woman's Latest Conquest.

Sea otter has been requisitioned for the adornment of fashionable feminine attire. Heretofore it has been exclusively reserved for the use of men, no doubt on account of its weight and durability.

Bible for All Immigrants.

More than 450,000 immigrants have landed at Ellis Island during the last six months, and each one who wished it got a copy of the Scriptures in his own language from missionaries of the New York Bible society.

The Extreme.

Visitor—So this town is strongly opposed to corporal punishment? Waiter—Yes, sir. Why, mister, dey don't even let us serve whipped cream.

She Expected as Much.

"I never thought she would do me such a mean turn," said Mrs. Jefferson Judd, "but then it was just exactly what I expected."—Kansas City Times.

A Poor Way.

It isn't likely that the Lord ever intended to have preachers try to win people to his side by being disagreeable.

Cheering Him Up.

Benham—"I'm broke again." Mrs. Benham—"Well, we must save the pieces."

Uncle Ezra Says.

"You will allus notice that the man who never shuts the door is the one who comes to see you the most."

When the future of the race is rashly questioned, instead of an answer a language is found over the eyes.

NEW OATH IN ENGLAND.

Kissing the Book to Become a Thing of the Past.

If the oath bill is passed "kissing the Book," the present insanitary and undignified form of oath taking, will practically become a thing of the past in England. Every witness will be sworn with his hand uplifted, unless he voluntarily objects to being sworn in that fashion or is physically incapable of so taking the oath.

The witnesses who will avail themselves of their option to "kiss the Book" will be even less numerous than those who have been accustomed to exercise their right to be sworn with uplifted hand. The right has not been exercised, our contemporary adds, because the majority of witnesses, however, great their dislike to the insanitary oath, have been unwilling to make themselves conspicuous in a court of justice by making an unusual request.

With the abolition of "kissing the Book" in England the insanitary oath will practically disappear from the civilized world.

The Hidden Corner.

Let mystery have its place in you; do not be always turning up your whole soul with the plowshare of self-examination, but leave a little fallow corner in your heart ready for any seed that the winds may bring, and reserve a nook of shadow for the passing bird; keep a place in your heart for the unexpected guest, an altar for the unknown God. Then if a bird sings among your branches, do not be too eager to tame it. If you are conscious of something new—thought or feeling—wakening in the depths of your being, do not be in a hurry to let the light in upon it, to look at it; let the springtime germ have the protection of being forgotten, hedge it round with quiet, and do not break in upon its darkness; let it take shape and grow, and not a word of your happiness to any one? Sacred work of nature as it is, all conception should be enwrapped by the triple veil of modesty, silence and night.—Amiel.

Case of Chew.

"Whah's det ornery bull pup yo' owned, Mistah Simpson?" asked the neighbor with the bucket and whitewash brush.

"Huh!" grunted Mistah Simpson. "Dat dawg got so vivacious Ah traded him off foh a plug ob tobacco."

"Gosh, dat was a queer trade, wasn't et, Mistah Simpson?"

"Not et all sah. Ah knew ef Ah kept det dawg he'd chew me, so Ah thought Ah'd trade him off foh a plug ob tobacco en do sum chewing mah-self."

As to the Kindergarten.

A writer in a current magazine thinks that the kindergarten child lacks the power of concentration. The effort is to make it learn things easily, and as an education cannot be acquired that way, she thinks the kindergarten unnecessary for children whose home surroundings are what they should be. For other children she can see how the school would awaken dormant faculties that their lack of proper environment would not otherwise develop.

No Excuse.

An evangelist was exhorting his hearers to flee from the wrath to come. "I warn you," he thundered, "that there will be weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth."

At this moment an old woman in the gallery stood up. "Sir," she shouted, "I have no teeth."

"Madam," returned the evangelist, "teeth will be provided."—Success.

History Lesson.

Diogenes, dear children, was the man who lived in a tub, and who searched for an honest man. "I'm honest," cried a candidate for re-election. "Where's your tub?" asked Diogenes. "Look at my barrel!" cried the candidate. But Di went on hunting.

A Missouri Epitaph.

A North Missouri editor says he saw this on a moss-grown tombstone: "Here lies our wife, Samantha Proctor, who ketches a cold and wouldn't doctor. She could not stay, she had to go; praise God from whom all blessings flow."—Kansas City Star.

An Example.

"Some objectives," said the teacher "are made from nouns, such as dangerous, meaning full of hazard. Can any boy give me another example?" "Yes, sir," replied the fat boy at the end of the form, "plous, full of pie."

Got Away in a Hurry.

"My wife didn't believe I was helping decorate for the celebration, and she met me at the door last night with frost in both eyes." "Did you run?" "Run! I aviated!"

The Philosopher of Folly.

"Our family is getting up in the world," says the Philosopher of Folly. "We used to have a hired girl, but now we have a maid."

How to Lose Some Fun.

"The girl who marries the first fellow she falls in love with," replied the observer of events and things, "misses a whole lot of fun."

Well to Remember.

If a man wishes to be treated with courtesy he should show courtesy to others.

Fortunately.

There is a lot of virtue that is just from force of habit.—New York Press.

SHE WAS THERE.



Medium—I am not sure, but I think I have now got your wife. Yes, I think she is in the room.

The Bereaved—Um-m-m-yes, she is here. The money is all gone from my trousers pocket!

SUDDEN.



Pat—Clancy died of a broken heart. Tim—Love? Pat—No; dynamite.

RECOMPENSE SOUGHT.



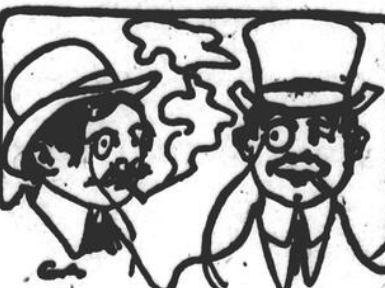
"Aw gee! Game called an' I can't come to-morrow! Say, mister, wanten buy a rain check for dis knothole?"

HE WHO RUNS.



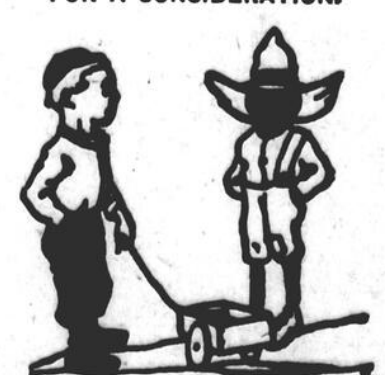
"Them as has gits. No truer word," said Burglar Bill, "have I ever heard."

WHERE AWAY?



Cholly—Yes, I have turned many a woman's head. Freddie—The other way?

FOR A CONSIDERATION.



"Ef you'll lemme play wif yo' wagin little wile I'll let yo' call me niggah a a boyah."

AFTER DOCTOR'S FAILED

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.

Toronto, Canada.—"I shall endeavor to describe to you how I felt before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I scarcely knew what it was to be well. I had awful bearing-down pains and usually before my monthly periods I suffered terribly and had to go to bed. I was not able to walk across the floor the pain was so bad. I doctored for a long time, but the doctor's treatment did not do me any good. I gave up all hopes of ever being well again until one day my husband saw the Compound advertised in the paper. He decided to get me a bottle, and I am thankful he did. I had not taken one bottle before I began to feel better, and I kept on taking it until now I am a different woman. It also helped me during maternity and childbirth. I can thoroughly recommend your Vegetable Compound to any woman who is afflicted with female troubles."—Mrs. J. M. TWEDALE, 138 Nassau St., Toronto, Canada.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY

TIME TABLE.

In Effect October, 4th, 1909.

LEAVING SHEBROOKE.

NEW YORK & BOSTON EXPRESS—Leave Shebrooke 7:30 a.m., daily except Sunday, arrive New York 1:00 p.m., arrive Boston 1:15 p.m. Pullman-car Springfield to Quebec also Pullman-car Boston to Shebrooke connecting with Pullman-car for Quebec.

PASSENGER—Leave Shebrooke 4:00 p.m., daily except Sunday arrive New York 11:15 p.m., arrive Quebec 9:30 p.m.

ACCOMMODATION—Leave Shebrooke 6:40 p.m., daily except Sunday arrive New York 11:35 a.m., arrive Quebec 10:00 a.m.

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PASSENGER—Leave Quebec 7:30 a.m., leave New York 11:15 a.m., daily except Sunday, arrive Shebrooke 1:15 p.m.

ACCOMMODATION—Leave Quebec 10:00 a.m., daily except Monday arrive Shebrooke 4:00 a.m.

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You will find our Fertilizers as good as the best. And will cost you from \$3.00 to \$4.00 less per ton. See your local agent before buying, or apply direct to CARL L. B. WHEELER, General Agent, Way's Mills, Que.

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PROPRIETOR OF THE DERBY LINE HOTEL LIVERY

I am ready to perform any kind of work that comes in my line, promptly and efficiently, from a single hitch drive to heavy team work.

See me for your Livery Service any time in the 24 hours.

I have recently put in a power clipping machine and shall be glad to do clipping at any time.

MUNICIPALITY OF ROCK ISLAND TAX NOTICE.

All arrears of taxes and dog licenses must be paid before May 1st, 1910, otherwise same will be placed in the hands of our attorney for collection.

By order of the Municipal Council, E. W. ROYBY, Sec'y-Treas.

Rock Island, March 10th, 1910.

FOR SALE

One Sleigh and one two-horse sled with box and rack. Both are nearly new. Apply to D. W. DAVIS.

40 YEARS PROOF
You don't need to experiment in treating Spavin, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Sprains, Swollen Joints, Old Sores, or any Lameness in man or beast.
KENDALL'S Spavin Cure
Has been the world-wide remedy for 40 years.
I have used your medicine for nearly forty years, and now I take the liberty to tell you to forward one of your bottles to me. I once had a horse with two large Spavins. I tried your Cure and in the end of four months he was as sound as the day he was foaled.
Yours respectfully, John Smith.
Box 1, a bottle—\$1.00. Get our book "A Treatise on the Horse" at \$2.00 or write us.
Dr. R. E. KENDALL CO., Secretary, Pitts., Pa.

Temperance Topics

"CREATORS OF SALOON KEEPERS."

Every man is a moral being, created with moral instincts, written on his heart so plainly that each man discerns moral right from moral wrong. The untutored Indian of America knows his duty to his fellow men, in his sphere of life, and when met with tokens of friendship, by his white neighbor, will in turn partake of the salt of peace.

The question here raised is, Does man know moral evil from moral good; will light and knowledge obtained by study, association and environment, increase his responsibility, rather than diminish it? Is the road to hell made any smoother, when D.D.s give their vote to make drinking popular? Is it the voter who runs the saloon to-day, and by his consent enacts laws by his agent, that his own soul condemns? The D.D. now turns to distillers, brewers and saloon-keepers with great pathos cries aloud saying, "I have voted with you, but my friends, who are your friends, have asked me to serve them, as their nominee on the local option party, for the legislature, and I greatly desire to serve them."

It is better for the trade to have some local districts in which no sales will be made by saloons. To support "a good man," who stands on an evil platform, is building your house upon the sand. Who would entrust his liberty in the hands of an Arnold, or his faith to the keeping of a Judas? "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself" is received as universal law of the highest order, in all lands in theory, but is not applied in practice, else there would be no saloons in all the land, and every man, engaged in the trade, would let his own soul go out, in native love to his fellows, as to his own son. I plead in love for your son—your brother.

The man, who, himself has voted with and for distiller and brewer, is himself a promoter of the trade, no matter what his profession, trade, or occupation, and in condemning those that sell and drink, condemns himself morally, with the seller and drinker. And no words spoken against the trade, will ever ease the drunkard's pain and remorse, or wash away the ruin, reproach and shame entailed on his wife and children.

Oh! that I had God's law observed, For I knew so well, Then had I sought to free my friend, From paths that lead to hell. It was rum's curse that laid him low, And led him into strife, That made him seek his brother's blood,

And penned him up for life. And every man, who votes for rum, Is selling the cursed cup—His act condemns his soul to woe, Though he ne'er takes a sup.

—John C. Moore.

Explodes a Favorite Plea.

With unfailing regularity apologists for the beer traffic point to Germany, and paint entrancing pictures of the quiet German and his family, as they repair to the beer garden to enjoy their harmless pleasures, etc., etc., and we are told that Germany is a paragon of temperance and that through the beer garden lies America's way to prosperity and peace and happiness. The current rapid progress of the temperance movement in the Fatherland, caused as it is by the alarming increase of drunkenness and attendant evils in this home of beer, has "put a crimp" in all of that. And the awakening of thought on the question of temperance is not to be wondered at. Circulars by the German Abstaining Physicians Society show that hospital cases of alcoholism have increased five hundred per cent. in twenty years and that cases of delirium tremens have increased a hundred times as fast as the population in that time. Twenty-five per cent. of the convicts in Prussian penitentiaries are habitual drunkards. Reports of the Building Trade Insurance Society of Zurich show that the accidents reported on Monday exceed those of all other days of the week by 42 per cent., and the Sunday drinking is noted as the chief reason for this remarkable circumstance.

Bean Soup for Dipsomania.

At Burlington, N. J., the "bean soup" remedy introduced by Sheriff William W. Worrell as one of his economy and reform plans is not only saving Burlington County several hundred dollars monthly but is making more real converts to temperance than any cure yet discovered. Criminologists who have studied the phenomenal results of the bean soup programme pronounce it a greater success than the "wash and work" edict by which the new Sheriff has cleaned the county of tramps.

Has the Danger, Gets No Pay.

An attempt was made to blow up the residence of Mr. Fuhs, a well-to-do merchant of Leetonia, Ohio, doubtless because of his activity as a member of the local vigilance committee which is endeavoring to enforce the law against saloons, while old party officials fear the pay and do nothing. A dynamite bomb with the fuse burned to within two feet of the explosive was discovered inside his door.

NEW CONCRETE BRIDGES.

Philadelphia Has Fifty-four Completed or Building.

The city of Philadelphia is one of the most extensive users of concrete in the world. It possesses, either completed or in course of construction, fifty-four concrete bridges. These bridges have spans varying from 25 to 233 feet.

The standard specifications for Philadelphia bridges require that the concrete shall be a 1-3-6 composition. That is, the proportions are by measurement one part cement, three parts coarse sand or gravel or stone screenings and six parts crushed stone.

Cleveland, Ohio, possesses what is perhaps the very flattest concrete bridge in the world. This bridge has three hinges of plates and angles. For bearing surfaces plates of cast iron are employed. The hinges were greased before put in place to avoid rust. At the joints a half inch of pure asphalt separates the concrete. The composition of the concrete is a 1-2-5 mixture. Between abutment hinges the span is over 86 feet and the rise of the arch above these hinges is only 5 feet 1 1/2 inches.

The Walnut Lane Bridge in Philadelphia is one of the most striking examples of concrete construction to be found anywhere in the world, says Cassier's Magazine. Interest focuses of course upon the central arch. This consists of two ribs, each 18 feet wide at the crown and somewhat wider at the skewback. The depth of each rib at the crown is 5 1/2 feet. The clear span is 233 feet, which is a longer span than that of any other concrete arch in America. The roadway is about 150 feet above the surface of the waters of the Wissachickon Creek. The construction is of re-enforced concrete.

The Speed of a Swallow.

A pigeon-fancier in Antwerp, Belgium, recently made a unique experiment by means of which he tested the celerity of flight and the power of orientation possessed by a swallow. Several pairs of these birds had nests under the eaves of his house, and without great difficulty he caught one of the swallows and marked it with a splash of red paint for identification. Then he shipped the bird by rail, together with a consignment of homing-pigeons that were being trained, to the town of Compeigne in northern France, a distance of 147 miles.

The morning after their arrival the pigeons and swallows were liberated simultaneously at 7.15 o'clock. The homers, following their natural instinct, circled round and round many times before getting their bearings, but the swallow darted away toward the north immediately after its cage was opened. Sixty-seven minutes later the watcher in Antwerp saw the swallow enter its nest, while the first pigeons did not arrive for four hours and seven minutes. The former flew at a rate of nearly 132 miles an hour, but the speed of the pigeons averaged only slightly more than thirty-five and one-half miles per hour. This latter time is considerably slower than that of which a homer is capable under ordinary conditions, but, granting this fact, the superiority of the swallow is only too evident.

London Street Railways.

The minimum fare is one cent. The council's cars carry about 412,000 passengers a year, and of this number 24 per cent. travel at the one cent fare. The maximum length of the one cent fare is one and one-quarter miles; the average longest distance from central London to a suburban terminus is nine and one-half miles.

Transfer tickets from two up to eight cents are in use in several cases on the council's system. These tickets are a convenience to the public, while at the same time they save the council from running certain through services which would probably not be remunerative. Transfer tickets are issued only on routes where no through service is in operation and at certain specified points.

The council has to pay tax rates to the amount of about \$2,433 a mile of track, besides income tax charges on the profits. The council is required to maintain the paving eighteen inches outside the outer rail and the whole of the area between the rails.

Motor Boats Deliver Groceries.

An engineer who has recently made a tour of the middle west to gather data relative to proposed waterway improvements informs us that he was astonished to find what a large amount of freight is done by individual storekeepers and smaller merchants in launches propelled by internal combustion motors. The country storekeeper living on the banks of the rivers and canals has found that he can ship his own freight from the wholesale dealer and distribute it to his retail customers by motor boat at a cost far below that of any other available means of conveyance. There is in this fact a suggestion of future usefulness for abandoned canals in which the draft is limited.—Scientific American.

A Child of Fortune.

"Sir, I have no home," began the seedy-looking man. "and—" "No taxes to pay, no rent, no coal bills, no worry over the rise in milk prices! Permit me to congratulate you." "I have no job, and—" "Lucky chap! No danger of being fired." "But I am serious. I have no money and—" "No temptation to spend it foolishly on able-bodied beggars. Why, you're a veritable child of fortune. Good day." —Philadelphia Ledger.

Most of the farmer's uplifting which counts come from the hauling he does for himself.—Washington Post.

THOROUGHbred ANIMALS AND PLANTS

Their Great Commercial Value.

"There is as much difference between thoroughbred and ordinary plants as between thoroughbred and ordinary animals." This statement is made by D. M. Ferry & Co., of Detroit, the greatest flower and vegetable breeders in the country, and appears in their 1910 Annual Catalogue just issued. They argue for the great value and economy of thoroughbred seeds.

"Any fundamental natural law which applies to animals applies equally to plants." A good cow (i.e. a thoroughbred) eats no more than a poor one, but may give twice as much butterfat. "Good blood" makes as much difference with corn as with cows. But thoroughbred plants, like thoroughbred animals, are not produced in one or two generations, for no matter how superior an individual of common origin may be, its progeny are as a rule like the general run of its antecedents. Hence the need for seedsmen like D. M. Ferry & Co. They have experience, the best plant breeding equipment in the United States, and the business acumen to sell only such seeds as have been bred from the choicest stocks for many generations.

D. M. Ferry & Co.'s Seed Annual for 1910 may be had free of charge by writing to them at Windsor, Ontario. It contains much of interest for those who think.

SEEKING EX-MEMBERS QUEEN'S OWN RIFLES.

Request that all communicate with the Secretary of the Regiment's Semi-Centennial Re-Union.

Several thousands of former members of the Queen's Own Rifles will assemble from all parts of the continent at Toronto next June, for a reunion in celebration of the Semi-Centennial of the regiment. The festivities will commence Saturday, June 18th, with a reception at Government House, his Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, like many other notables, being an ex-member of the crack regiment. On Sunday a monster Church Parade of ex-members and the present members will be a unique affair. During the week, grand historical pageants on a scale only equaled at the Quebec Tercentenary, will be given by several thousand performers on the Rosedale Athletic Grounds. In addition, there will be numerous social meetings of old comrades.

In nearly every town and city in the Dominion and in many in the United States and elsewhere, are men who have served in the Queen's Own, and the Semi-Centennial Committee is desirous of getting personally in touch with as many of them as possible. To that end, it will greatly facilitate matters if the ex-members who see this will at once communicate with the permanent Secretary, Mr. G. I. Riddell, 36 King Street East, Toronto, and prevail upon all the other ex-members they know to do the same. Mr. Riddell will promptly send them particulars.

A REMARKABLE TRADE MARK PROPOSITION.

The big "NA-DRU-CO" advertisement, which appears on another page of this issue, announces probably the most extensive trade marked line which has yet been brought out in Canada.

The proposition, as outlined in the advertisement, is a truly "National" one, and one which is of the greatest practical importance to every Canadian.

Scores of Canadian manufacturers have already proved the business-building value of a well-known—and that means well-advertised—trade mark, but none have ever carried the idea so far as has the firm behind the NA-DRU-CO Trade Mark.

To put out 125 different preparations under the one name and trade mark, and advertise as they are doing, is business genius—though it would be business suicide were they not absolutely certain of the quality of each and every article trade marked.

A careful reading of the advertisement, however, leaves little doubt of NA-DRU-CO quality, and impresses upon the business acumen and judicious daring of the firm which has planned such a project and announced it with such an advertisement, appearing today, we understand, throughout the Dominion.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

His Grace, the Archbishop of Westminster, head of the Roman Catholic Church in Great Britain and suite, have signified their intention of attending the Eucharistic Congress that will be held in Montreal next September. It is probable that His Grace will be accompanied by the Duke of Norfolk, the leading lay head of the Roman Catholic Church in England.

While in Canada, this distinguished party will visit Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara Falls and other important places.

His Grace has accepted the invitation extended by President Chas. M. Hays, for himself and suite to be the guest of the Grand Trunk on their Canadian tour.

Prince Rupert, A Mining Centre.

There are few recorded instances of a railroad grade ever cutting a mineral vein of any value. So far the main line of the G. T. P. is no exception, but the district which it traverses is every day looming up into greater and greater importance. The coast formation has never proved very prolific of mineral wealth, but 100 miles from Prince Rupert the line enters a new field. A belt of mineralized rock, starting at the Portland Canal, running through the head waters of the Nass, crosses the Skeena River about the Kitselas Canyon and extends into the interior through the hills at Hazelton and the Babine and Hudson Bay mountains. The extent of the zone is unknown. Prospectors have only touched it in spots, but these spots have shown wealth incalculable. The immense area of this ore body can only be appreciated by those who have travelled over it. The future of the Portland Canal is an assured thing now. The same is known to exist on the Nass, while late last fall, discoveries were made in the vicinity of the Kitselas Canyon, which when developed and explored farther, will no doubt show very considerable ore body. These discoveries were made too late in the season to prove much more than that ore of good quality existed in the district, covering considerable area. Silver, lead and copper are the chief minerals found; but all ores in the district carry gold values, roughly speaking of from \$1 to \$40. Some even go higher than this.

At Hazelton, 180 miles from Prince Rupert, and on the line of the G. T. P. railway, the existence of a magnificent ore has been demonstrated by the strike on the Silver Cup, a property on Nine Mile Mountain. Ninety six inches of solid steel galena ore is surely sufficient assurance that Nine-Mile at least will be productive of much wealth. Work on the Dibble group, owned by James Cronin of Spokane, has progressed most favorably all winter. A tunnel of 325 feet has revealed a cross vein, which had itself attained 3 feet across. This tunnel was being run to tap the main vein, which was expected to be reached at 400 feet. The late property has also surpassed early expectations.

On Hudson Bay Mountain, which lies just across the Bulkley Valley from the Babine range, prospects have been struck and developed to the shipping point. The Lakeview group, overlooking the railroad and only six miles from it, shows grey copper and free gold. This likewise is a silver-lead property. Five tons of galena ore were shipped from the Coronado group, which gave smelter returns of \$100 per ton in gold, silver and lead. This was five years ago. With the shipping facilities the railroad will give, it is estimated by conservative mining men that much of this ore can be landed at the smelter at Prince Rupert for a cost of \$4 per ton, approximately. It only requires the completion of the railroad to throw open a mining country of immense possibilities. Prince Rupert Optimist.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

English and Portuguese officials are in conflict at the delineation of the boundary at Tete at Portuguese, East Africa.

The mine workers union have set April 1st as the day for a general strike unless their demands for an advance in wages is complied with. 300,000 mine workers are involved in this contemplated strike.

President Taft appeals to the Republican editors of Illinois in session last week at Springfield, Ill., for endorsement and cooperation in his measures now before Congress. The power of the press was never better understood and appreciated than by the present president.

President Mellen's characterization of the Grand Trunk railway as "an impecunious lot" sounds rather childish and far fetched when the courageous and masterful financing of that road's great pioneering line from ocean to ocean is recalled to thoughtful minds.—St. Albans Messenger.

The United States seems to have been experimenting for the past few years in "oannon" building, and while it has never burst under test, the whole country seems to be looking for a disastrous explosion. Evidently the type that has its origination at Danville, Illinois, has become obsolete and will soon be relegated to the scrap heap. "Every dog has his day."

Hunters, go West.

John and Fred Wilde, aged 17 and 19, have closed their winter trapping campaign on the sloughs and along the Elkhorn river in the vicinity of Beemer, Neb.

They have taken account of stock and find that since November last they have caught 3423 muskrats and 103 mink. They have contracted to sell the muskrats at 37 cents each, a total of \$1,254.36, and the mink at \$3 each, a total of \$309, an aggregate of \$1,563.36 for a little over three months' work.—Minneapolis Journal.

SUFFERED 15 YEARS CURED IN ONE MONTH

Gin Pills are wonderful.

If every woman, who has Kidney or Bladder Trouble, could go to Davisville, Ont., and talk with Mrs. A. Simpson, they would do just as she did—take Gin Pills and cure themselves.

Mrs. Simpson grows enthusiastic over Gin Pills. Quite naturally, for she would be dragging out a miserable existence, instead of being the picture of health, had she not taken these pills.

"For 14 or 15 years I had Kidney and Bladder Trouble, suffering at times intense pain. I doctored continually and received sometimes temporary relief, but nothing gave me permanent relief until I was persuaded to try Gin Pills."

Within a couple of days I received great relief, and after taking one box I was completely cured and now would not be without them. I can highly recommend them to all who suffer from any form of Kidney Trouble."

Mrs. A. SIMPSON. Welet you try Gin Pills before you buy. Write National Drug & Chemical Co., Dept. Q., Toronto, and a free sample of Gin Pills will be sent you by return mail. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, at all dealers. 2

SLEIGHS

In the selection of a sleigh you should consider the maker. I have a complete line of the Canada Carriage Company's sleighs, which represent the same of style, comfort and durability. Perhaps I can help you in the selection of a sleigh best adapted to your needs. At any rate I will be pleased to show my stock.

Also Harnesses, Robes, Blankets, Bells, etc.

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by the systematic and judicious care of money—

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The best equipped shop for automobile repairing and accurate machine work out side the large cities.

Oils, Gasolene, Greases, Batteries, and all Automobile, Gas Engine and Motor Boat Supplies always on hand. I also build the best Circular Saw Rig in the market for the money, \$35.00, including saw filed and set. See it before you buy.

Prices right, work right, and I am right here, ready to answer your call promptly day or night.

People's Phone.

B. F. GROUT.

MILL WORK.

The Comstock sawing and finishing mill recently purchased by us has been repaired. Our two mills will be operated for general mill work throughout the winter. Custom orders will receive careful attention.

TILTON & RAYMOND, Smith's Mills, Que.

BLACK KNIGHT STOVE POLISH

You don't have to mix "Black Knight" Stove Polish.

There is no black watery liquid to stain your hands or dirty the floor.

There is no "hard brick" to scrape—no trouble—no waste—no hard rubbing.

"Black Knight" is a firm paste—ready to use—quickly applied—and shines quick as a wink.

It's as simple and easy to use as shoe polish, and a big stove can be shined with it almost as easily.

Perhaps your dealer does not handle "Black Knight" Stove Polish. If so, send sec. for a big can, free postpaid.

THE F. P. DALLEY CO. LIMITED, Hamilton, Ont.

Shiners of the famous "Q" & "P" Shoe Polish.

ASBESTOS IS KING

and the King of Asbestos Properties is Ours!

For the past three years we have been putting our time and our money in the search for a perfect Asbestos property—following the mineral belt from Thetford, north-east and south-west, but not until we reached

FIBER MOUNTAIN IN LOWELL, VERMONT

did we find the ideal conditions.

Have you watched the developement of the Asbestos Industry?

Have you seen old pasture lands, that had not been regarded as of much value, suddenly sold for thousands of dollars per acre? Have you seen one of the strangest but most valuable of nature's products placed on the market in hundreds of forms, and the demands and uses of the product increasing many times faster than the supply?

We have seen all of these things and have been trying to get hold of a good property at a moderate price, and now we have it, and we know that we have it, having done considerable developement work on it.

The stockholders of this company are well-known local men who are regarded as careful business men, and it has been our aim to organize a company, with a large enough capitalization to do all that is needed to develop the property, but not so much "watered stock" that it couldn't float without a life preserver.

Such a property as we have, which is three times the size of many of the well-known Quebec asbestos properties, would probably have been capitalized by New York promoters for \$5,000,000 instead of our moderate \$50,000.

DO YOU WANT TO INVEST IN A HOME PROPERTY

managed by home men, who want to make some money to be kept at home?

Most of the great fortunes of our millionaires have been made out of properties located in the country districts. This is true of gold, silver, copper, coal oil, and more recently asbestos.

Why not have some of this wealth Retained at Home?

We are offering a few thousand shares of the

VERMONT ASBESTOS COMPANY

at the very low price of thirty-five (35) cents per share—par value \$1.00 per share—in blocks of not less than one hundred (100) shares each, the proceeds to be used for the development of the property, work on which will be resumed soon.

Lose no time if you wish to take advantage of this exceptional offer. Capital of the Company only \$50,000 in shares of one dollar each. We are offering you one dollar for 35c. that we may rush the development.

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Write for prospectus and reports if you are interested.

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I hereby subscribe for _____ Shares of Stock, in the Vermont Asbestos Company, at 35 cents each.

I enclose _____ dollars in payment, as per following conditions:
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