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P. S. This property is all in Vermont.

CORNS REMOVED.

Dr. Hight, the celebrated Chiroprapist of the Eastern Townships, will be at his home, Lennoxville road, during Sherbrooke Fair week. Office hours from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m.

UPHOLSTERING.

I have refitted my upholstering rooms at the Pioneer Barber Shop, Rock Island, and am better prepared than ever to do all kinds of upholstering, renovating of mattresses, repairing furniture, sharpening knives and shears, etc. Having sold my barbering business I can now devote all my time to the above lines, and guarantee satisfaction. If you are uncertain about my work, ask your neighbor; I have been doing upholstering here for nearly forty years.

L. A. LANCOT.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. J. Otis, of Montreal, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Crawford of Athol, Mass., is visiting in town.

Mr. Allan Bailey, of Sherbrooke, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Karl O. Balch, of Boston, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Henry L. Winship, of Boston, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Lee is visiting her son, C. Eugene Lee, and is boarding at Mr. Fred Drew's.

Miss A. M. Malouin is in Boston and New York attending the millinery openings.

Mr. Charles E. Crawford is erecting a home on his lot purchased of Dr. H. P. Stockwell.

Mr. John A. Tilton has gone to Waterville today to attend the funeral of Francis Gale.

Mrs. Eugene Parker and two children, of Athorp, N. H., are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson and little son Earl are spending their vacation at Franklin Falls, N. H.

Mr. Charles E. Whitcher, of New York, representing the Worcester Salt Co., was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Langton of Lennoxville, and a party of friends from Waterville, were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Craig (née Lottie McDowell) started for their home in Olds, Alberta, Friday.

Dr. J. M. Blake, of Boston, candidate for Secretary of State on the Progressive ticket, was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. W. H. McDowell and Miss Anna McDowell have been quite ill for several days, but are now much better.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. John McIntosh, on Wednesday afternoon, September 4th, at 3 o'clock.

Miss Myrtle Dorman of the Derby Line Bank clerical force, is spending her vacation at Sherbrooke, Que., and Laconia, N. H.

Harold and Guy Gilmore, sons of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Gilmore, leave the first of September for Ottawa, where they will become students at Ottawa University.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. Oliver Girard, of Athol, Mass., is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. I. O. Blake, Miss Jeanette Blake and maid, of New York, are at the Derby Line hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Forsythe motored to South Ryegate Saturday to meet a cousin on a visit from Grafton, West Virginia.

Mrs. Samuel Murdock has been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Price, of Sherbrooke, Miss Dunham, of Brockton, Mass., and Mrs. Talbot, of Waterville.

We notice that Caswell's Mills has been changed to Demick's Mills. The purchase of the sawmill by Mr. Henry Demick is the reason given for this change.

The Frontiers have discontinued ball playing. It would be very pleasant to have a few more games to offset the political game being so strenuously played.

The trustees of Derby Line have their new village building about ready for occupancy. It combines space for fire fighting apparatus, lock-up, tools, road machinery and assembly room.

Mr. Ernest Bashaw, superintendent at the J. A. Gilmore Co.'s factory, with Mrs. Bashaw and children, went to Richford Saturday to visit relatives and friends for two weeks.

Rev. F. H. and Mrs. Cole, who are closing their vacation by attending the Universalist convention at Woodstock, Vt., will be at home in season to resume the services at the Universalist Church next Sunday.

Mr. Leo Leblanc, of the JOURNAL, injured his right hand on the newspaper press while running last week's edition. While the injury will keep him from work several days, it wasn't serious. He is at his home in Bedford.

Merinda Lee Morrill died in Los Angeles, California, July 17th, aged 90 years. She was born in Stanstead, February 25th, 1822, the eldest of nine children born to Jerry and Azubah Lee Morrill and the last one of the family to die.

Mr. Charles Butterfield, of Bellows Falls, and a man well known here, a brother of Col. F. D. and Gen. F. G. Butterfield, in a letter the last of the week, which has been widely published, says in substance that after being fifty years a Partisan Democrat he has enlisted under the Progressive banner.

Rev. T. A. Halpenny gave a helpful talk on "Walking with God," Sunday evening. "And Enoch walked with God, and he was not, for God took him," was the scriptural basis. Our walk with a friend is naturally in the same direction, and a oneness in purpose and mutual exchange of confidence, likeness of ambition makes for a pleasing, profitable time together. Our walk with God, in order to show a high order of fruitage, should have the same mutual qualities. The talks of this pastor must bear fruit of a high order. The note of directness and sincerity can but invite the confidence and respect of those who hear, and the ever present quality of reasonableness in his appeal to the conscience will reach the careless and thoughtless. He is a new herald, his standpoint is refreshing and uplifting.

Mr. Gary S. Heath attended the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows at Montreal as delegate from Alexandria Lodge of Ayer's Cliff. Mrs. Heath accompanied her husband as delegate from the local lodge of Rebekahs to the grand assembly. Mrs. Heath was honored with a grand assembly office that of Grand Outside Guard, while in the city. Messrs. James M. Montle, J. A. Lorimer and J. W. Webb, jr., were delegates to Grand Lodge from the local lodge. The meeting showed that the past year's growth had been the best in its history in the provinces.

TOWN TOPICS.

Remember the County Fair August 28th and 29th.

Get ready for the County Fair Aug. 28th and 29th; it will be the biggest and best yet.

Mr. W. A. Daly is at home from Lake Lester.

Mr. H. B. Sellon, of Boston, was in town on Friday.

Mr. William Terrill is entertaining Mrs. Watts, of Mexico.

Mr. F. J. LaFountain, of Mansfield, Mass., a former resident here, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. True of Portland, Me., were in town Saturday by automobile.

Mr. C. R. Southgate, of White River Junction, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. W. S. DuBols, of White River Junction, was in town Saturday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cady and son George leave the last of the week for Toronto, where they will spend a two weeks' vacation.

Rev. A. Lee and Mrs. Holmes have returned from Old Orford Beach, where they have been for several weeks.

The Lee block in the hill is gradually emerging from its crudeness. It will be a good looking block when completed.

Mr. Samuel Miller, of Smith's Mills, is moving into the house formerly owned by the late William Fisk's estate, which Mr. Miller has purchased.

Deacon and Mrs. Charles N. Hill, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard of Cambridge, Mass., a brother of Mrs. Hill, and Mrs. O. E. Wood of Northboro, Mass., a sister of Mrs. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McFadyen returned last night from an extended drive through Compton County in the interest of Stanstead College. Next week they will go to Megantic.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Davis have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Linda Harding, to Mr. John T. Hackett, of Ottawa, eldest son of Hon. M. F. Hackett. The marriage will take place soon.

Mrs. Robert Bennett, of North Hatley, who underwent a very serious surgical operation at Portemouth, N. H., is being entertained by her son, Charles W. Bennett, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Davy.

The Republicans are to hold a grand rally at Derby Line this evening. An auspicious time for such a gathering as it is band concert night. Good speakers are to be in attendance. Hon. John D. Sullivan of Rutland Vt., and Hon. H. N. Rowley of Burlington, Vt.

The new hotel project at Newport seems to be getting on to a business basis. Mr. McKay, of Montreal, has agreed to underwrite \$100,000 of the capital if Newport will raise \$50,000 and build the hotel on Pender Point. The committee are now canvassing the community for this amount and the matter is in hands that will doubtless succeed. We understand that Mayor H. B. Stewart of Beebe has offered to sell the Newport House at a reasonable price. It is quite evident that Orleans' county seat is to have very much better hotel accommodations.

Mr. Edward Audinwood, our local undertaker, spent Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week at the undertaker's convention held at Brattleboro. Mr. Audinwood has been in this work for eleven years and is known as one of the most skillful men at the profession. He makes it a point to attend these meetings and lectures to the end that he may be fully up-to-date. There was a large attendance at this convention. They were guests of the city of Brattleboro and were royally entertained. C. F. Moadinger's lecture on anatomy was one of the profitable features of the gathering. The members of the association called on the secretary of the State Board of Health, Dr. Henry D. Holton, who gave an informal reception to the visitors at his beautiful home. The meeting was convened in the Knight's of Columbus hall.

Mr. Gary S. Heath attended the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows at Montreal as delegate from Alexandria Lodge of Ayer's Cliff. Mrs. Heath accompanied her husband as delegate from the local lodge of Rebekahs to the grand assembly. Mrs. Heath was honored with a grand assembly office that of Grand Outside Guard, while in the city. Messrs. James M. Montle, J. A. Lorimer and J. W. Webb, jr., were delegates to Grand Lodge from the local lodge. The meeting showed that the past year's growth had been the best in its history in the provinces.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. Arthur Virgin, of Sherbrooke, was in town Saturday.

Mr. H. H. Hyland, of Mansonsville, was in town on Saturday.

Miss Mary Hall, of Boston, is spending a little time here.

Take a day off and attend the County Fair at Ayer's Cliff, August 28th and 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White of Orleans, were in town on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Davis have been visiting their son Harry in Danville, Vt.

Telford Bros. Garment Co., are in need of stitchers, on petticoat and overall work.

Mr. Lee Ticehurst and family spent Saturday and Sunday in camp at Cedarville.

Mr. Walter H. Ticehurst and three friends returned to Manchester, N. H., Tuesday.

Mr. Carlos C. Stokes and family, of Bury, were in town by automobile on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Bushaway of Cambridge, Mass., were in town Monday and Tuesday.

The polling place for the Derby Line voters on Tuesday September 3rd, will be at Odd Fellows' Hall.

Mr. Lawrence Duncalf and Miss Dorothy Duncalf left Regina for home the last of last week.

Miss Hattie Goodfellow, of Toronto, who has spent several days here, has returned to her home.

The village of Derby Line has completed the work on the streets and sidewalks for the season.

The Quadrille Club will commence their first series of parties at St. Joseph's Hall Thursday evening.

Misses Winona and Ruth Pomroy are spending the week with relatives and friends at Ayer's Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roy and three sons, Fred, Arthur and Joseph, are spending a week in Quebec City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Baldwin and family of Coaticook were in town by automobile Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane Young has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Tomlinson, and daughter, Mrs. Copp, of Ottawa.

Miss Lenora Whitecher, of the Rock Island post office, is taking a vacation. Miss Minnie Aldrich is doing her work.

Mr. Alphonse Brault has purchased the City Meat Market of Benard & Moreau, taking possession Tuesday morning.

Many went to Newport Tuesday afternoon to hear Ex Senator Beveridge of Indiana speak for the Progressive movement.

Mr. Edgar M. Beck, of Fairfax, has contracted with Mr. Albert Lincoln to run the Coaticook stage, beginning October 1st.

Mrs. David McIntosh and daughter, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh, have returned to their home in Toronto.

Rev. H. F. Hallett, of the Congregational Church, writes from Ashfield, Mass., that they have had a fine time and are returning fresh for their work.

Messrs. Harley A. Palen of Holland, and Mr. Herbert Todd, of Morgan, took the train here on Tuesday for the Canadian North-west to work in harvesting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Magoon and Mr. and Mrs. George McCauley, of Lonsdale, R. I., were in town by automobile Monday. Mr. Magoon is a cousin of Mrs. W. O. Hopkins.

Rev. H. F. and Mrs. Hallett will arrive home Friday evening. The work and services of the church will be resumed next Sunday as usual. Communion in the morning. Preaching morning and evening. Sabbath school at noon. Mrs. Chas. W. Wells, soloist.

The local Odd Fellows Lodge have decided to build on the extension of their hall. This will make the hall on the first floor about 81 feet deep and add space for a good sized kitchen, two regalia rooms, a dining and smoking room 17x21 feet. This will be an important addition, giving Derby Line a fine hall on the first floor of a well located building.

Mr. Aaron Chamberlain, of Oliver, was a caller at the JOURNAL office Saturday. Mr. Chamberlain is turning his farm over to his sons, and will seek an easier life for a while at least. William Chamberlain, one of the pioneer settlers of the Oliver neighborhood, cut the first tree on the farm lately occupied by his grandson Aaron. The property has ever since remained in the Chamberlain family; may it continue to do so.

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TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. Arthur L. Kinne, of Holyoke, Mass., is in town.

The usual band concert this (Thursday) evening at the band stand.

The new coat of paint on the band stand is a decided improvement.

Mr. William Barrett of St. Albans, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Octave Blake, of New York, is in town for the balance of the season.

Mr. Charles Scott broke his wrist while working on the public building at Derby Line, Monday morning.

Children, get out your school bags! Schools at Derby Line commence next Tuesday; the College opens September 10th.

Mrs. H. N. Holland of Montreal and Miss G. E. M. de Long of Ottawa were guests of relatives here from Thursday until Saturday.

Several gentlemen went to Newport Tuesday afternoon to hear Ex-Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, speak for the Progressive cause.

A few new and second-hand wagons will be sold at a discount in order to close out the balance of the summer stock. AT LEE FARM.

A Bailey bike wagon and Exhibition rubber trimmed harness suitable for showing horses at the Exhibitions will be sold at big Sacrifice at LEE FARM.

Mrs. J. Hart Gross, of New York, arrived in town Wednesday and will return on Friday, taking her son Valentine with her. Valentine has spent the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. Bixby.

Mr. L. A. Ellis of the Rumford Printing Co., Concord, N. H., was a caller at the JOURNAL office this week; Mr. Ellis is being entertained by his brother, Sgt. W. W. Ellis of Stanstead. Sgt. Ellis has also been entertaining his sister, Mrs. J. A. Kelley, and two children of Concord, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. Philander Young of Clarenceville, Que. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Derick of Smith's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Demick of Montreal, who have lately been visiting relatives in this vicinity left Sunday for Orleans, where they will spend a day or two with their brother, Mr. E. A. Demick, thence returning to Montreal, Mr. Demick having been suddenly called back as he is interested in a \$616,000 syndicate on the LaChine Canal.

Mr. W. T. Truell of Regina Provincial Manager for Saskatchewan for the Sun Life Assurance Co., was in Rock Island on Sunday to visit his Aunt, Mrs. J. W. Ray. He was accompanied by Mrs. Chas. W. Vaughan of Ayer's Cliff and Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Vaughan of Sherbrooke. Mr. Truell states that the Western wheat crop is well above the average, and with fair weather for harvesting will be the greatest in the history of Canada. Regina is rapidly rising from the effects of the terrible cyclone of June 30th. Two years from now there will be no traces of the visitation save the scars which time alone can heal in the comparatively few families in which death occurred. Mr. Truell's own residence was completely destroyed, but he and his daughter were on a trip to the Pacific coast at the time and thus escaped.

TOWN TOPICS

New approaches of concrete are being built to the Congregational Church.

Mr. Robert C. Parsons has moved into his new house at the top of the Plain hill.

Miss Cornelia Needham of New York City, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Carpenter.

Mr. Carroll Aikens, of Winnipeg, is the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. C. C. Colby, at "Carrlocroft."

Col. H. S. Haskell went on an automobile trip to Montreal and other Canadian points on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Rickard went to Chateaugay, Quebec, Monday, to spend the week with a friend.

Mr. Percy Salls, of Hanover and Norwich Boston & Maine station, spent Sunday and Monday in town.

The Woodman of Holland are holding a field day to-day. The West Derby Concert Band is in attendance.

Mr. George Goodwin, of the American express office, leaves the first of the month for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. F. P. Foss, of Manchester, N. H., has been the guest of his brother, Mr. E. M. Foss, of Beebe, during the past week.

Think things clear through before you begin to do them. It is the half-cooked gun that gives the coroner a good share of his job.

The report from our farmers of the hay crop is generally favorable. About all say it is larger and of better quality than in former years.

Mr. George T. Ames expects to move his family from Holland to his new tenement on the second floor of his new block this week.

Principal and Mrs. Geo. J. Trueman, who have been staying in New Brunswick for some time, will return to the College Saturday.

Eight of the young ladies employed at the factory of James A. Gilmore Co., are camping near Magog on Lake Memphremagog for two weeks.

A desirable lot of furniture and housekeeping goods will be sold at auction in the sample rooms of the Derby Line Hotel on Saturday, Sept. 7th at 1 p. m. These goods are the property of Mr. J. W. Crawford and have been used but little.

Messrs. E. M. Campbell & C. F. Bellam of Beebe were business visitors to Three Villages yesterday. They have an attractive real estate proposition in "Broadlawn" the new Beebe Subdivision which is advertised in this paper. Prices are moderate and terms easy. An advance is announced for September 15th.

The death of Florence Julia Hackett occurred at her home in Stanstead Tuesday evening, August 27. The deceased was the second daughter of Hon. and Mrs. M. F. Hackett and was twenty years and ten months of age. During a painful illness of twelve weeks her cheerful courage never left her and the end came in peace. Her loving and unselfish nature made a deep impress upon all who knew her so that she will long be held in fond remembrance.

Town Topics continued on Eighth page.

GRANITEVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Young of Clareville, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tryon at their cottage at Eagle Point last week.

Mr. Charles Keniston and family, of Springfield, Mass., are spending a few weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Keniston, and other relatives.

Mr. B. D. Brodie, of Iversville, Que., made a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brodie, on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Simpson of St. Johnsbury, is making her annual visit to her brother, Mr. J. O'Leary, at Willowdale Cottage, Cedarville.

The Sunday School picnic held at Cedarville last Friday was a very pleasant affair, although the weather looked rather discouraging in the forenoon, but the afternoon was ideal. There were upwards of forty who attended. Two double teams were provided by Messrs. D. W. Moir and J. A. Boulais, who took them in hayracks, and judging from the hilarity they must have enjoyed the ride. A dinner was served, using a large rock for a table. Running races were indulged in for the little ones. Lyman Haselton won in the boy's race and Peggy Duncan in girl's race. Through the kindness of Mrs. Wells and Mr. Gordon Bullock the children were treated to a ride in their motor boats, which was enjoyed and appreciated by both young and old. Our superintendent, Mr. James Reid, spent a very pleasant day in making an enjoyable time for the children.

Mr. Frank Dooley and Miss Mary Reynolds, nephew and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Reynolds, from Irons, N. Y., arrived at the latter's home for a short visit on Saturday, the 24th. Mr. Dooley made a short stay, returning Monday. He is interested in the mercantile business. Miss Reynolds will spend a few weeks visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevens of "The Pines," visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Moir on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Somerville and two children, Kenneth and Edith, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Leary at their cottage, "Willowdale," on Sunday.

Mrs. Gilbert Allen, of North Derby, is dangerously ill at present writing, with very little hope of recovery.

The Misses Gladys and Lorenz Salls left last Wednesday for California. The former will stop at Seattle and later go to Vancouver, B. C. Lorenz goes to Long Beach, Cal., where she has two sisters, and expects to go in school there. The best wishes of their many friends here go with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hall and child of Ayer's Cliff, recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boulais.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bain of Montreal and Mrs. E. M. Beerworth of Beebe Jct., were week-end guests at the home of their brother, Mr. T. Woolls.

Mrs. A. Hamilton went to Georgeville on Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. W. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan (née Gertrude Fadden) and two daughters, from Keewanee, Ill., are here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. S. Reed, and other relatives.

The paving cutters have nearly all gone. Messrs. A. Hamilton, Parker Sloan and Robert Dalgleish left last week for Barre, Vt.

WAY'S MILLS.

Mrs. Estella Burleigh is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. E. Chadsey, for a few weeks.

About twenty-five from here attended the Sunday School picnic at North Hatley last Thursday, going by the Pocohontas. All report having had a fine time.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, of Boston, who are staying at their summer cottage at Eagle Point, were taking a carriage drive and calling on friends in town one day last week. They were accompanied by friends from the Three Villages.

Miss Mildred Chadsey visited her brother at Windsor Mills last Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. George Drew of Providence, R. I., visited his uncle, Mr. A. E. Chadsey, last week. They came in their "Overland" car to Magog to visit his father, Mr. G. R. Drew, and were on their way home. They seem to be enjoying their trip very much.

Mr. Edgar Beck has let his farm to Mr. Vancouver, of Barnston for one year and give possession October 1st. Mr. Beck will have the stage route from Stanstead to Coaticook for the coming year.

LEADVILLE.

Mrs. C. E. Magoon, who has been spending a few weeks here, has returned to her home at Newport.

Mrs. W. B. Goodenough, of North Derby, was here recently calling on friends.

Dr. E. H. Henderson, of Mansonville, made a professional call here on Monday.

Miss Carrow, of Coventry, Vt., is spending a few days here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier of Ottawa, accompanied by a party of friends, passed through here recently. The party had been touring New Hampshire and Vermont and were en route to Brome Lake.

CASSVILLE.

Miss Annie Lyford, of Newport, is spending a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. A. Lyford.

Mrs. F. W. Lawton and little son recently spent a few days at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kezar. She also visited at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kezar, at South Barnston.

Mr. Chas. Hartson has purchased the L. J. Bangs property for the sum of \$1,000.

Mrs. Solon Morrill and two sons, of Somerville, Mass., are spending a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. C. Smith.

Rev. F. Williams, East Hatley, Miss Gladys Lincoln, Fairfax, Mrs. W. P. Libby, Somerville, Mrs. S. E. Abbott, Stanstead, Miss Eva Bangs, Minneapolis, Miss Elma Martin Putnam, Conn. Mrs. Wm. Thompson and son and Mrs. Lyman Libby were recent guests of Mrs. J. F. McVeay.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lawton and Miss Olive Gilley were guests at the home of Mesdames John and Arthur Curtis at North Stanstead on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ashman and daughter Irene, of Cambridge, Mass., were recent guests of Mrs. C. Thompson.

There was an auction sale at the farm of Mr. Alexander Thompson last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson intend spending a few months at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Gilbert, Taber, Alberta, in the near future.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Wm. Heath is able to ride out and seems much improved.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. L. Heath desires, through the columns of the JOURNAL, to extend thanks to her friends for their kindness and assistance in her trouble, caused by the burning of the barn and the injuries received by her son; to the ladies of the Dufferin Avenue Helping Hand for the fruit and beautiful flowers sent to him by them. Mrs. Heath and son also wish to thank those who so kindly out and stacked their hay, also the ladies who assisted in the house at that time. Their wish is that these may find in all times of trouble friends as kind as theirs have been.

CURRIERS.

Many of the farmers in this vicinity finished their haying last week and some have a few more loads to get. Barns are filled and packed as never before.

Mr. Sampson, from Toronto, and W. K. Foss, from Fitch Bay, were in the place recently.

Mr. A. L. Buckland, from Way's Mills, is the guest of his friend, C. E. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bryant and children, from East Bolton, were at Mr. A. Stone's last Friday.

Mrs. Julia Bachelier went to Beebe on Monday.

Miss M. E. Manning returned home on Tuesday, after spending a few weeks in Worcester.

Mr. Ayerheart, from East Bolton preached at the schoolhouse Sunday afternoon in exchange with Rev. L. M. England.

Messrs. Benoit and Dustin, from St. Catherine de Hatley, were here last week as judges on standing crops.

CRYSTAL LAKE.

Miss Ethel Minor is the guest of friends in Magog.

Mrs. Wm. Farrell and sons, of Lowell, Mass., are the guests of her brother, Mr. I. B. Lovering.

Mr. Benj. Minor has returned to Lowell, Mass., after doing the haying on his farm here.

Mr. J. R. Wells spent Monday with his parents at Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Minor, Arotic, R. I., are the guests of his father, Mr. Edward Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Magoon, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McAuley, Lonsdale, R. I., were week-end guests at I. B. Lovering's. They came by auto.

Mr. C. O. Bullock has returned to his home in Centerville, R. I., after spending the summer with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Drew and family are at Magog campmeeting this week.

MINTON.

Mrs. A. A. Boone and daughters attended Barton fair.

Mr. Wm. Austin is suffering at present with blood poisoning in his hand.

Miss O. Meyer, of Sherbrooke, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Miss M. L. Dean spent Sunday here. Mrs. Jessie Beattie and daughter Ruth, of Steven's Point, Wis., who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Sampson, and friends here, have returned home.

Miss M. H. Slack spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Co-hoon, at Albert Mines.

The cottage meeting conducted by the Epworth League was held at the home of Mr. J. L. Dean last Monday evening.

Mrs. M. Roxford spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson.

GEORGEVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Mosher left last week for their home at Montreal, after spending a few weeks at "Lake Hall."

Dr. Winder, of Lennoxville, has been the guest of Mrs. Routledge at "Belmore" the past week.

Miss Gertrude Norton, of Beebe, spent the week-end with Miss Vera Davidson.

Miss Ewan has returned to "Bonhard," after a short stay at Little Metts.

Mr. and Mrs. M. LeBaron of North Hatley have been staying a few days with Mrs. J. Sampson.

Miss Gladys King has taken up her duties as teacher in the Magoon's Point school.

Mrs. P. O'Leary is visiting her father, Mr. R. Packard, after visiting relatives at Brownington, Vt., for a week.

GRIFFIN.

Recent guests at the home of Messrs. Stone and Embury: Messrs. A. Chamberlain, W. Bachelier and J. Humphrey of Magog, Friday, 23rd, Mr. and Mrs. Urah Wyman, of Fitch Bay, on Saturday, 24th.

Mrs. Chauncey Blake, of Lowell, Mass., a former resident of Stanstead, is spending a few days with friends here.

VERMONT ITEMS.

We notice that Hiram L. Todd of Morgan, has purchased an automobile.

A town clock has been donated to the village of Groton by Mrs. M. J. Ricker Hall, which will be placed in the Methodist church steeple.

The "Bull Moose" is making an effort to stir things up pretty thoroughly throughout the state this week, as the state election is next Tuesday.

Cashier Harry T. Robbins, of the National Bank of Newport, Newport, Vt., has filed his nomination papers as progressive candidate for town representative. He is the son of Hon. W. S. Robbins, of Derby.

Work is to be begun at once on the plant of the Pittsford Electric Light & Power Co., and the schedule of volts which has been posted shows that the price to consumers is to be 12 cents a kilowatt hour, with special rates for heating apparatus.

The historical pageant at St. Johnsbury was repeated last Saturday afternoon to several thousand people. Five hundred people in costume took part. It is said to have been the most successful thing of the kind ever undertaken in America.

The Rev. J. K. Fuller has resigned as pastor of the Congregational church at Johnson, the resignation to take effect in October. Mr. Fuller's health is so poor he believes it best to relinquish his duties as pastor, but will supply in various places.

A large Knox touring car belonging to Mr. Noble, of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., was burned last week near North Pownal. Mr. Noble was taking it to Springfield, Mass., for repairs. He got out to change the adjustment of the carburetor and in a moment the car was in flames.

Mr. Walter A. Dane, the junior member of the law firm of Williams & Dane, has entered the law firm of Bates, Nay & Abbott, of Boston. The senior of this concern is an ex-governor of Massachusetts. The bar of Orleans county lose a young man of unusual ability. He is the son of the late Olin S. Dane, for many years Boston & Maine agent at Newport.

The Larkin G. Mead bust of Lincoln has been placed on the temporary wooden pedestal in the corridor of the state house at Montpelier. Several workmen had a delicate task in placing the piece of sculpture without injury to the stone but they accomplished the work successfully. Although in a location almost too cramped to give the magnificent bit of work the best of setting, the bust will attract much attention.

Wednesday, August 14, Coventry had a very successful dedication of its recently erected soldiers' monument. It was presented by Capt. Riley E. Wright, of Baltimore, Md. The unveiling was done in the presence of 2,000 people by Misses Lucy Hancock and Dorothy Niles, granddaughters of veterans of the Civil War. The donor was a Coventry boy; he studied law with Hon. Benjamin H. Steel and was admitted to the bar December 31, 1864. He is chief judge of the Orphan's Court of the city of Baltimore.

Annual Meeting of Fat Men's Club.

The annual meeting of the New England Fat Men's Club will be held this year on the first day of the state fair at White River Junction and will be attended by all of the features which usually attend the meeting of this jovial organization. W. H. Ricker, president of the club, Jerome Hale, the treasurer, and other officers recently met in the office of F. L. Davis to make arrangements. The banquet, to which between 400 and 500 people are expected, will be held in the Odd Fellows' hall on the grounds and in the evening there will be an elaborate display of fireworks. Many speakers of prominence have been engaged for the banquet.

The Fat Men's Club now contains between 4,800 and 4,900 members.



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Our Grocery Department

More space devoted to this class of Merchandise than any store in the villages and we have the goods; buying as we do in large quantities for spot cash we can fill your orders promptly at interesting prices.

Canned Goods, Dried Fruits, Olives, Olive Oil, a full line of Baker's Goods, 21 kinds Breakfast Food, all kinds of sea Fish, Finnan Haddie, Salmon and Salmon Trout. Just received cars of Flour in Bags and Barrels. Brands: 5 ROSES, ROYAL HOUSEHOLD, QUAKER, THE CELEBRATED "BUDA" PASTRY FLOUR.

We buy our Sugar in car lots, a car of "St. Lawrence" just in BARRELS AND 100 LB. BAGS

We are sole agents for Chase and Sanborn's Standard Java Coffee, and we are still selling our Good Quality Java at 28c. lb. It is a good one.

Our Feed Store

Under the same roof we carry the greatest possible variety of Feed and Grains. Years of experience in this class of goods should invite your confidence. We can furnish these goods by the bushel or car load promptly.

OUR HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

We take a great deal of pride in this department, and endeavor to carry a very complete stock of all kinds of hardware. We buy our Nails and Wire by the car at such times as the market is right, and we give our regular customers the benefit of this advantage. We have recently made changes in our means of displaying our shelf hardware that enables us to keep a closer tab on its needs. Here are some of this stock: Nails, Barbed Wire, Fencing, Iron and Steel for Blacksmith's use, Horseshoe Nails, everything in Builder's Hardware, Glass, Putty, Paper, Lime, Cement, Hair, Pulp Plaster, a full line of Paints and Oils, (Sherwin & Williams') and a complete line of Farming Tools.

We have every facility for serving you, and we make it our business to be courteous and prompt, always adhering to the greatest thing in business, and that is: the Quality of any article is the most important and always has our first and last thought. The Goodness of the Quality of an article is what makes you our customer.

KATHAN & HOPKINS, - Rock Island, Que.

Mid-Summer Clearance Sale of Clothing

AT

WILLIAM M. PIKE & SON'S

GAIN we are at the parting of the ways with our Clothing Department and must get ready for our Fall Stock, and with this in view we have arranged to close out what is left of our Spring and Summer Goods, so that you can have the benefit of it before the season ends, therefore beginning Friday Morning, July 26th, (tomorrow) we shall sell:

\$12.00 Suits at	\$9.75
\$10.00 Suits at	\$7.75
\$9.00 Suits at	\$5.98
\$7.50 Suits at	\$5.98
2-Piece Outing Suits, all Wool,	\$4.50

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THESE MUST GO

GREAT SALE IN ART SQUARES

We have just received a large invoice in Floor Coverings Look at these Prices

7x9 Tapestry at	\$9.00
7½x9 Brussels at	\$9.00
9x10½ Brussels at	\$10.00
9x10½ Tapestry at	\$12.00

TANS, GREENS, REDS, MIXTURES

A beautiful line of Mattings for 20 cts. LINOLEUMS AND OIL CLOTHS

This is the year that politicians fix up their fences. Every year the farmers should attend to theirs. We have the Black and Barbed Fence Wire and Staples.

You can't fence out the Potato Bug but Paris Green and a Sprayer will finish them.

The song of the hammer is heard in our villages and we have a full line of carpenter's Tools for the 100 more workman here. See us for your tools.

There is a great deal being said about Building Material just now in our villages. You all know we have spent a lifetime buying and selling these goods and ought to have "caught on to" some of the tricks of the trade and discovered the needs of the community in this line. If you are repairing or building a home or business place come in and talk with us about your requirements, we'll try and use you right.

STOCKINGS

Here is where we are able to show you a great line. Everybody has become "fussy" about their hose, and it is right they should be. An ill fitting stocking is simply a menace to the understanding. Just buy your hose of us and have comfortable feet.

WE HAVE

Men's in Cotton, Silk Lisle and Silk from 25 cents to 75 cents. All the Colors and Tones.

Also 3 pairs for 25c. and 2 pairs for a quarter.

Ladies' in Cotton, Silk Lisle and Silk in Black, White, Tans, Blues, Grays and Lavender, 2 for 25c., 1 for 15c., 1 for 25 and 50c.

Children's in great variety from 2 pairs for 25c. to 25c. pair. We have them.

In our stock of Men's, Women's, Misses', Boy's and Children's Under Garments we are surpassing any former season, and we invite you to examine our stock before purchasing your needs for the season.

We have a splendid value in our light weight

MEN'S FRENCH HEALTH UNDERWEAR

These Garments are fine fitting and of dependable workmanship. They are about the last thing and best in Summer Underwear.

Gentlemen's Union Suits in Balbriggan these are splendid goods.

We have the well known and well liked B. V. D. with short sleeves and legs. Those cool, comfortable Under Garments in Nainsook.

We have some Bargains in Balbriggan for Men from 25 to 50c.

We have a special Elastic Knit Men's 2-piece Undershirt and Drawers in Tan, regular 50 cent Goods, bought direct from the Manufacturers by the case and we are selling them at 4 pieces for \$1.00 while they last.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

In great variety. We have all the sizes and the range of prices is from 2 for 25 to 35 cents. No trouble to show these goods, we want your business.

In our Misses', Boy's and Children's department we have given a good deal of careful attention to the selection of this stock. Come in and see what we have.

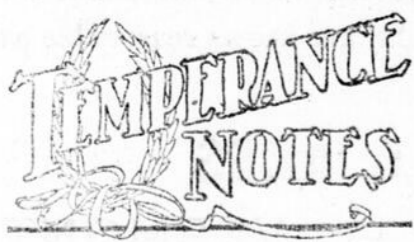
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FOE OF EFFICIENCY IN NAVY

Commander-in-Chief of British Atlantic Fleet Declares Alcohol is Detriment to Men.

The following clear and startling declaration by Sir J. R. Jellicoe, commander-in-chief of the British Atlantic fleet, shows how the most responsible officers of the navy regard alcohol as the great foe of efficiency among men of the service:

"Any officer holding a command which carries with it any measure of responsibility for the defence of the empire must recognize, as I do, the value of temperance in promoting fighting efficiency. In the navy there are three qualities upon which efficiency mainly depends. They are discipline, straight shooting, and endurance, and temperance unquestionably tends greatly to the promotion of these qualities. In regard to discipline, one has only to look at the punishment returns to realize how many of the disciplinary offences are due at the outset to intemperance. As for endurance, medical research has amply proved the fact that temperance is a great asset in improving physical qualities, and, therefore, the endurance of the human race. But of our own personal experience we know that we do not drink alcohol just before a football match or a boat race. If we do we shall fail, and the same is true of any other pursuit involving endurance. As regards straight shooting, which is so largely a question of eye, it is every one's experience that abstinence is necessary for the highest efficiency. If one were going to a rifle meeting in the afternoon, it wouldn't do to drink a whiskey and soda at lunch. If I should do that I know I should have no chance of making a 'possible.' What applies to a rifle applies equally to a heavy gun, and all admirals recognize this by taking care that the fleet is called away from a harbor on urgent business at least twenty-four hours before battle practice or a gunlayers' test is commenced.

"Most captains also, if their ships are to fire at these practices in the afternoon," continued Admiral Jellicoe, "hold over the grog issue until the evening. In this connection I should like to refer to the experience of Capt. Ogilvy, who, I regret to say, died some eighteen months ago. He was the officer who did such good service with naval guns at the relief of Ladysmith. Commencing under Sir

Percy Scott in the Terribla, he later commanded the Grafton, a gunnery school tender, and then the Revenge, the instructional battle practice ship, and died when in command of the Natal, which ship he placed at the top of the fleet in gunlayers' test. He went carefully into statistics, and found that the shooting efficiency of men was 30 per cent. better before than after the grog issue. He put his figures in the form of a curve, and it behoves an admiral when chasing an enemy's fleet and maneuvering for position to consider the grog curve as well as the position of the sun and direction of the wind. These factors will show, I think, that naval officers are fully alive to the advantage of temperance in promoting fighting efficiency."

GREATEST BREEDER OF CRIME

Alcohol is Most Evident and Dangerous Cause of Lawlessness, Says Dusseldorf Expert.

What is the greatest source of crime? Is it poverty and misery? Is it unfavorable social conditions? Is it hereditary affliction? Is it defective education and training? These questions were presented and discussed by Doctor Pollitz, penal hospital superintendent of Dusseldorf, in a lecture on the psychology of crime, at a meeting of scientists in Tembangan and afterwards published in a memoir. In it he says that the close relation existing between alcoholism and all kinds of crime has been much discussed since the alcohol question has received so much attention, and it is no longer seriously denied. He declared alcohol to be the most evident and most dangerous cause of crime as well as of much misery and evil, and closes by saying that the hopeful movement against alcohol offers the best prospect for the prevention of crime.—Hygienische Rundschau.

Warning Against Alcohol.

The health committee of the Sheff field (England) city council is about to issue large posters warning citizens against alcohol. "Alcohol (it says) is a luxury and not a necessity, and its abuse is a most terrible danger to personal health, to family happiness, and to national prosperity." It is stated that Gotch, Hachen-schmidt, F. C. Selous, Victor Trumper, Burgess, Beaurepaire and E. P. Weston, all recommend total abstinence for athletes. The poster is signed by the lord mayor and the town clerk, and the medical officer of health.

What is Whiskey?

"What is whiskey?" is a question which is bothering food experts. If the question had been put to us we could have answered promptly and saved much time and money. Whiskey is the greatest curse known to man.—The Standard.

TOUCHED TENDER SPOT

APPEAL IN MEN'S EYES TOO MUCH FOR "NIMROD"

Consequently Destructive Bird, Held in Honor as a Gift, Continues to Make Barren Waste of Doctor's Garden.

One of the doctor's patients is an Italian who speaks English imperfectly, and is, besides, very poor. The doctor became interested in him at a hospital clinic, where he treated him for some time. When quite restored to health, the Italian, full of gratitude and affection, desired to make some return for the kindness that had been shown him, and after much consideration decided to present his benefactor with one of his most valuable assets, a large white hen which he was fattening with a view to a feast for himself and family later on. So one morning he arrived at the doctor's office with this offering in his arms and sat humbly waiting his turn among the other patients.

"Well, Joseph, is your hen sick?" asked the doctor jocosely, when Joseph finally was shown into the private sanatorium.

"Seek-a!" exclaimed Joseph. "No, ser, seek-a no seek-a. I brought-a heem to you. I want geva-a heem to you. You make-me well. You treat-a me kind. I geva you de cheek. I have-a no more. I like-a you, please take-a," and with tears of emotion in his eyes he thrust the struggling, squawking fowl into the hands of the physician, who, being a most tender-hearted moral, could not refuse a gift he knew was offered in a spirit of sincere devotion.

A few days later the doctor's brother, who professes as a hunter of big and little game had won for him among his friends the nickname of "Nimrod," was visiting the doctor, and, happening to look out of the sanatorium window into the yard, observed the hen contentedly scratching up a bed of geraniums, the last bit left untouched in the inclosure.

"Hello, Doc! Since when have you gone into the poultry business?" said he.

Then the doctor explained. "The source of it is," he concluded ruefully, "that the activities of that miserable bird have kept my yard looking like a barren waste."

"Kill her, why don't you?" said Nimrod. "Cut off her head."

"Oh," said the man of innocents and probes and surgical knives, "I couldn't do it; not in cold blood. Nimrod—not in cold blood."

"Pooh," returned Nimrod, "let me do it for you then. Just a clip on the side of the head and it's over."

"All right, my boy, go and do it," said the brother. So the doctor closed the window and drew down the shade and Nimrod departed on his murderous errand. Twenty minutes later he returned.

"Well?" queried the doctor, looking up from his writing. "Is it done?"

"No," replied Nimrod.

"Not done!" said the doctor. "And why not?"

"Why, the darned bird looked at me with its round, silly eyes and I couldn't do it," confessed Nimrod, with a deprecatory smile.

So Joseph's gift still checks and scratches contentedly and the doctor's yard continues to look like a barren waste.—New York Press.

Bird Store a Magnet

The bird store window is an unfailing attraction to many people. Perhaps it attracts men more than women, but it is a magnet that draws all children.

Let the small boys discover a bird store and they halt and linger long, wondering over or admiring the strange or beautiful feathered creatures within, and children walking with their mothers, if they should spy this window, are sure to tug her toward it to give them a chance to look in.

The bird store window interests all children, as it appears to interest also many grown men who may be drawn to it by a natural fondness for birds and animals, or be attracted by the novel or striking character of the exhibit on view.

Here, for instance, in this window is a white peacock, a remarkable bird seen with its plumage in whatever form. As with characteristic deliberation it walks about with its long tail feathers folded and trailing people stop to look at it, and then let it raise and spread its great white fan and many more halt and gather in a crowd around the window.—New York Sun.

Well-Trained Cockatoo.

"When seals were taught to do tricks balancing and to whirl flaming torches, and ordinary barnyard cocks crowed a duet at the command of a trainer, we thought the highest point in that commercially valuable line of education had been reached," says a writer in a Berlin paper. "But a new 'first place' has been created for a grass-green cockatoo. This educated member of the parrot family rides a tiny bicycle at command and seems to enjoy the sport. He does many tricks for which professional riders receive applause. The same collection of animal wonders contains a monster lion, which is shown in a cage provided with a grand piano. A woman trainer enters, seats herself at the instrument and strikes a chord, at which the lion leaps upon the piano and glares at the pianist. Then she plays, and the lion roars in time with the music. What next?"

BEAVER FINDS AN ADVOCATE

British Rancher of Opinion the Little Animal is Much Abused, and Gives His Reasons.

"There has been a lot of garbled stuff written in regard to the poor little beaver," says a correspondent. "He is the most abused animal of any in existence in British Columbia to-day."

"He shuts up water in creeks, overflows meadows, cuts off apple trees if you get them too close to his wanderings, and, in fact, to hear the complaints about him, you follow on the outside would think he should be exterminated. But not so; he is man's best friend in regard to the water question."

"Now, I am an admirer of the beaver; he has not a lazy hair on his body. He works unceasingly to shut up what you have torn out; not only for his part, but for the rancher that wants the water. As fast as you can open their dams every morning all the summer through, they will close them again at night. But put in a good dam and flume box with gate, and your trouble is over in a great measure."

"They will once in a while shut up the box, but not often. Hang up a piece of bright tin on a spring hole so the tin will wash in the water, and you will not be bothered much at the box. Now, if the ranchers left all these cuts open, which they all do, your water would all run off in the winter's thaw. So that is where the beaver comes to their relief. He shuts them up himself. And then he gets blamed for doing it."

"A beaver is awfully shy when he first sees man. He certainly puts out for a hole in the bank. But you show up evenings for about a week or ten days and just walk around and pile a few sticks across their path where they are hauling down cotton wood or willows to the lake or pond and they will come and smell of the stick and get the scent of your hands and your tracks."

"Then they will quit that place and go make another. Well, you do the same at that place and so on two or three nights and they will get your scent so that they know it means no harm to them. They will pull all your sticks out of the road and heap right up at work. Now their fear of man is all past; they take no more notice of your being around than they would of a horse or cow."

"The beaver is one of the easiest of the larger animals to domesticate. He is fond of most any kind of roots, but of all the wild roots, he likes the big pond lily root that grows to enormous size. Some roots are ten to fifteen feet long, three to four inches in diameter. They cross and grow together till they are a regular mat. Then what he likes next is the white carrot, also the rad. They are poor eaters out of a dish; they want to sit

up and brace themselves on that muscular tail and take the food in their forepaws, or their little hands."—Pur News.

Fifty Thousand Child Gardeners.

As a result of a state-wide industrial contest in Oregon there are now 50,000 children busy gardening. It is thought that of the 125,000 school children of the state at least 75,000 will exhibit at their county fairs or at the state fair at Salem in the autumn something they have raised or made. The superintendent of public instruction and public spirited citizens are responsible for this wholesale plan of child farming. Substantial prizes are to be awarded to those who have been most successful in raising garden stuff, chickens and pigs, or in making some useful article. To aid the little ones the agricultural college has issued 50,000 bulletins containing directions for planting and growing seeds. The scheme is an excellent one, so different from the murderous child labor of the factory. It includes plenty of fresh air, healthful exercise, pleasant mental exercise, and blessed contact with nature, her beauty and life. There is here the early lesson of obedience to the royal law of labor.—Christian Herald.

About the Spare Room.

How often the best and sunniest bedroom in a small house is set aside for the rare visitor, while the children are cramped for space, or its master, the bread-winner, has some dark cupboard as his special sanctum. If he attempts to write in the dining room he must bundle away his papers whenever the table is required for a meal, and the wear and tear to his temper—for every man finds it aggravating to be "hustled"—often makes him "saw ill to live with." But for the "fetish" of that seldom used spare room he would find some far more home-like, and his wife would keep a sure reward for the sacrifice of the petty pride which makes her think more of "what people will say" than of her husband's comfort.

Privations of Exploring Party.

Great privations were endured by A. H. Savage Landor during some portions of his eighteen months' journey across South America and back. He says: "When I left Rio in March of last year I took enough provisions to last for a year, but owing to wastage on the part of my men and loss, those eventually gave out, and toward the end of that part of the expedition through the unexplored portion of Brazil we remained for sixteen days without a morsel of anything to eat. Happily there was plenty of water, but there was no game, no fruit, no fish and no inhabitants, and neither my men nor myself had sufficient food to cover a six-pence."

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Correspondents

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

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

THE PUBLISHER.

TRUNK LINE TO SHERBROOKE.

Government will Build Road if Municipalities will Contribute \$1,000 a Mile.

A deputation from the municipalities of Lennoxville, Ascot, North Hatley, Hatley, Stanstead Township, Stanstead Plain and Rock Island met Premier Gouin and his cabinet by appointment at Quebec, Tuesday, to ask the Government to construct an improved highway between Derby Line, Vt., and Sherbrooke. The deputation was presented by P. A. Bissonnet, M. L. A., and the case of the municipalities was argued by Hon. M. F. Hackett, Mr. Bissonnet and Jas. F. Telford.

Other members of the deputation were: Mayor F. W. D. Melloon and Councillor Ball, Rock Island; Mayor J. H. Papineau, Stanstead Plain; Mayor John M. Walsh, Stanstead Township; W. W. Read, Hatley; L. A. Taylor, North Hatley; D. L. Herbert, J. O'Connor, A. McFadden, Lennoxville; M. McCurdy, W. S. Armitage, R. Mitchell, Ascot.

After hearing arguments presented in favor of the proposed improved road the Premier stated that the Government would undertake the construction of a macadamized road provided the municipalities contribute \$1,000 per mile towards the cost thereof, this being the condition upon which the Government is now constructing the road from Montreal to Rouse's Point, N. Y.

Sir Lomer said that if the Government were to accede to the demands of the deputation and build the road entirely at its own cost it would be establishing a bad precedent, and other municipalities would expect it to do the same for them. On the other hand, he quite understood that it was an advantage for such a road to be built by one authority and the work done by one contractor.

The probable cost to the Government would be about \$8,000 per mile. Should the municipalities take advantage of the Government's very liberal offer, the engineering work would be completed this fall and actual construction begun early next spring.

Mayor Melloon, when seen by a representative of the JOURNAL to-day, expressed himself as being well pleased with the Premier and the consideration accorded the deputation.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

The sixty seventh annual exhibition of the Stanstead County Agricultural Society opened at Ayers Cliff yesterday with a good array of exhibits in nearly all departments. In point of attendance yesterday was perhaps an average first day. To-day's attendance will fall below the high record attained last year. Last night's rain, with a leaden sky this morning, doubtless kept many prospective visitors at home although the weather to-day has proved to be much better than the average this season. The prize list will be published in our next edition.

The authorized mileage of the Grand Trunk Pacific main line and branches is 11,500 miles, of which 1,745 miles are between Winnipeg and Prince Rupert. 1,800 miles are under contract by Transcontinental Railway Commission between Winnipeg and Moncton. At the completion of this national railway the trip around the world will be shortened by one week, as Europe will be brought closer to Asia, and as the maximum grade of the Grand Trunk Pacific is 1/2 of the next best transcontinental railway on the continent. Time between the Atlantic and the Pacific will be annihilated when the service is in operation.

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efficiency depends upon your condition.

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AN EDITOR'S EXPERIENCE.

From Winnipeg West to Edmonton, I travelled over the new line of the Grand Trunk Pacific. To my mind the Grand Trunk Pacific is the last word in the railway world. A finer road bed, more luxuriant trains, or more courteous and efficient employees, I have never seen on railways, either in this country or in the country to the south of us.

It seems to me that a few personal experiences on the Grand Trunk Pacific may not be out of place here. These incidents will explain what I mean when I say that I was delighted with the service.

I left Winnipeg at 6 p. m. I had my seat reserved in Winnipeg, and boarded the car at 5.45. I removed my coat and hat, and was about to follow my usual custom of hanging them up when the train porter approached and took them from me. I noticed he did the same with all the other passengers. I later made inquiries and learned that the instructions to the porters are that no clothing, parcels, hats or baggage are to be permitted to disfigure the "parlor" car. All that can be removed by the porter he will take charge of. Passengers may retain such as they wish in their seats, but nothing is to be hung up or placed in the aisles.

This may seem a small affair, but you have no idea how handsome a parlor car looks when lighted up if there is nothing to disfigure the beauty of the interior. It was a revelation to me, and I could not but admit that this was a striking example of what attention to small details meant in the operation of a great railway.

The Grand Trunk Pacific has a new system of collecting tickets and fares on the train.

The train conductor has nothing at all to do with the handling of tickets or cash. His business is to manage his train and all the officials who operate the train. His authority is absolute on the train.

The tickets and fares are all collected by an official known as the "train agent."

The whole duty of the "train agent" is to look after tickets and fares, and to keep a close record in this regard. He is an official that was new to me, and I was particularly interested in him. I was more particularly interested in him because of his extreme politeness to, and consideration for, his passengers.

In the West to-day the "train agent" steps up to you and makes a pleasant remark about the weather, or bids you "the time of day," and concludes with "Your ticket, please." He waits patiently till he gets it, and then invariably says, "Thank you."

If you are going far on his train he will tell you about the hour you will get to your journey's end. If the trip is short he will tell you two, three or four stations, as the case may be, and hand you a hat check.

I watched the first "train agent" I travelled with, and he treated every passenger in the car in the same courteous manner. It was pleasing to see it, and I tell you it pleased the travellers a mighty sight better than the old time poke in the ribs.

Later I travelled on a local train between Watrous and Winnipeg, and I determined to watch if all "train agents" on the G. T. P. were as polite as the first one I saw. I was not doomed to disappointment. He was even more courteous and considerate of every passenger.—Yankleek Hill Review.

OBITUARY.

After a long and painful illness of about three years Mr. Timothy Edward Demick a life long resident of Stanstead died at his home Tuesday Morning Aug. 4th at the age of 93 yrs. The funeral was conducted at his late residence Rev. Halpenny of the M. E. Church Stanstead officiated ably assisted by the choir of the same church. Interment in the family lot at Crystal Lake Cemetery. The bearers were his three sons Perley, Edward and Louis Demick and a son-in-law Arthur Breaky. Those left to mourn his loss are his wife three sons Perley Demick Montreal, Edward Demick Orleans Vt. and Lewis Demick, and three daughters Mrs. Edwin Hills Brooklyn N. Y. Mrs. Arthur Breaky Libby town and Miss Nancy Demick, also an aged sister Mrs. Harriett Smith and two brothers Parker and Chas. Demick besides a host of other relatives and friends.

Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family as Mr. Demick was a good friend and neighbor active and untiring in anything that would advance the public welfare. The floral offerings were many and beautiful consisting of wreaths, cut flowers, sheaf of wheat and others.

Mr. Demick was a member of the Independent Order of Foresters since 1883.

"Gone but not forgotten."

THE JOURNAL'S FRIENDS.

Mr. A. P. Gustin, Lowell, Mass., writes: "I enclose money order for subscription. We subscribed for the JOURNAL soon after we came to Lowell, and would not like to be without it, as we enjoy reading the news from our former home."

ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS.

Granby's fall races will take place August 31st and September 2nd.

Brome Liberals will tender a banquet to Hon. S. A. Fisher at Potton Springs, September 7th. A special train will be run for the convenience of those wishing to attend.

Thomas Lyster's barn at South Durham was struck by lightning and burned early Sunday morning. One horse was burned. The building was well filled with hay. The farm implements were saved. Only a small insurance was carried.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morrill of Caswellboro entertained a number of their friends last Thursday. Those who came unbidden at the eleventh hour received a most hospitable welcome and a dinner such as only the farm can provide at this season.

Playing with a loaded gun fifteen-year-old Neil Morrison of Victoria Hill, Marsboro, lost his life last Saturday. The lad, who was a son of R. J. Morrison, was at play with the young son of a neighbor named Daniel Stewart when the gun was accidentally discharged the contents lodging in the abdomen of young Morrison. Death followed in about five hours.

The big saw mill at Skinner, Maine, was burned on the night of Tuesday, August 20th. None of the surrounding buildings were burned. The mill had been in operation nineteen years, and the owners, The Skinner French Co., have announced their determination to rebuild. The boom now contains a million and a half feet of uncut logs. It is expected that the new mill will be ready for business next spring. Cutting and logging will be continued as usual during the winter.

The annual outing of Golden Rule Lodge No. 5, A. F. & A. M., will take place on Labor day, Monday, Sept. 2nd. The steamer "Anthemis" has been chartered for the day. The party will land at Vale Perkins for the ascent of the mountain. From the Perkins landing there will be a walk or drive of something like two miles, but the final climb will be much shorter than from the Owl's Head landing. A committee from the Lodge recently made the ascent from Vale Perkins and the newer route is being adopted upon their recommendation.

Adrien Lepine, aged about thirteen years, second son of V. Lepine of Magog, was drowned near La Fenay's Point, Lake Memphemagog, Saturday. He was riding in a skiff in tow of a motor boat. A stiff southwest breeze was blowing and the lake became so rough that the lad became frightened and tried to get into the motor boat. In an effort to do so the row boat was capsized, throwing its occupant into the water. He started to swim but went down before the occupants of the motor boat could reach him.

Mr. D. S. Sanborn and son, H. McClellan Sanborn of New York will visit their families Saturday, Aug. 31st, at North Hatley, where they have a cottage for the summer. D. S. Sanborn will return to New York Monday night, Sept. 2nd, but Clell will remain a week and attend to the business of his family. Mrs. D. S. Sanborn and Miss Starr Sanborn will return with them. Miss Starr Sanborn has become quite an expert in handling their new motor boat and may be seen any day piloting some of her numerous friends about the beautiful lake.

Francis Gale, second son of F. G. Gale of Waterville, died of spinal meningitis at an early hour Tuesday morning. He had been ill only two days. Deceased was a promising young man, and his untimely death has caused a feeling of profound sorrow throughout the community where he resided and in which he was well and favorably known. Francis Gale was eighteen years of age and during the past school year had been away studying French. He was to have entered McGill University this fall. Deceased was a grandson of the late George Gale, at one time a resident of Stanstead Township and founder of the Galebed and mattress industry.

Early Sunday morning this section was visited by another severe rain storm which did considerable damage to roads in Stanstead township. Sunday afternoon a representative of the JOURNAL drove over the main road through the Marlinton neighborhood. The damage to this highway was particularly noticeable in the vicinity of the Gustin brook. On either side of this stream there are hills and here the roadbed had been almost ruined. Soil conditions there are not unfavorable and there are no serious obstacles to good road building, but ditches have been neglected and the water ran down the roads, carrying away gravel and leaving deep ruts and many loose stones. It is almost a crime to allow water to run in the roads when ditches can be easily provided. The old saying that "one stitch in time saves nine" is particularly applicable to the care of roads. A little attention to ditches with perhaps an occasional "water-bar" would have saved much damage in the section referred to. Ditches are about the most essential feature of a road; they are needed on hills more than elsewhere, but are many times neglected because the water can drain off without them, but often with a drift storm very little of the road is left.

HUTCHISON-COPP.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Copp, Derby, Vt., was the scene of attraction on Wednesday evening, August 14th, when over an hundred guests assembled to witness the marriage of their only daughter, Erema Gertrude, to Mr. Gilbert R. Hutchison. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. Edwards, of Newport.

The bride was certainly charming in her dress of white tulle with lace trimmings, and carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas. She wore an exquisite wreath of orange blossoms and veil the same worn by her mother nearly thirty years ago.

The bridesmaid, Miss Mary Hutchison, sister of the groom, wore white striped voile with lavender trimmings and carried lavender sweet peas. Mr. O. Brown, of Boynton, Que., acted as best man. Mrs. John Bly, aunt of the bride, played the wedding march.

The house was quite enchanting with its profusion of golden rod, ferns and trailing pine. The wedding party stood under a beautiful arch. Decorations were arranged by Miss Cummings, Oregon, Miss Kidder, Charleston, Miss McGowan, Georgeville, and Mr. C. C. Copp.

Miss Vera Davidson and Miss Elsie Beach, cousins of the bride, were ushers.

Refreshments were served directly after the ceremony. The bride's cake, which contained a ring, was cut by the bride and passed to all spinsters and bachelors. Miss Mary Hutchison secured the ring.

The presents were numerous and costly, bearing witness of their many friends.

The groom's present to the bride was a gold locket and chain, to the bridesmaid, chateleine pin, and to the groomsmen a watch chain.

Amid showers of rice, confetti and good wishes the happy couple left for a trip to Quebec and other points. On their return they will spend a few weeks in Derby and vicinity, then leave in October for Morse, Sask., where they intend to spend the winter.

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AUCTION SALE.

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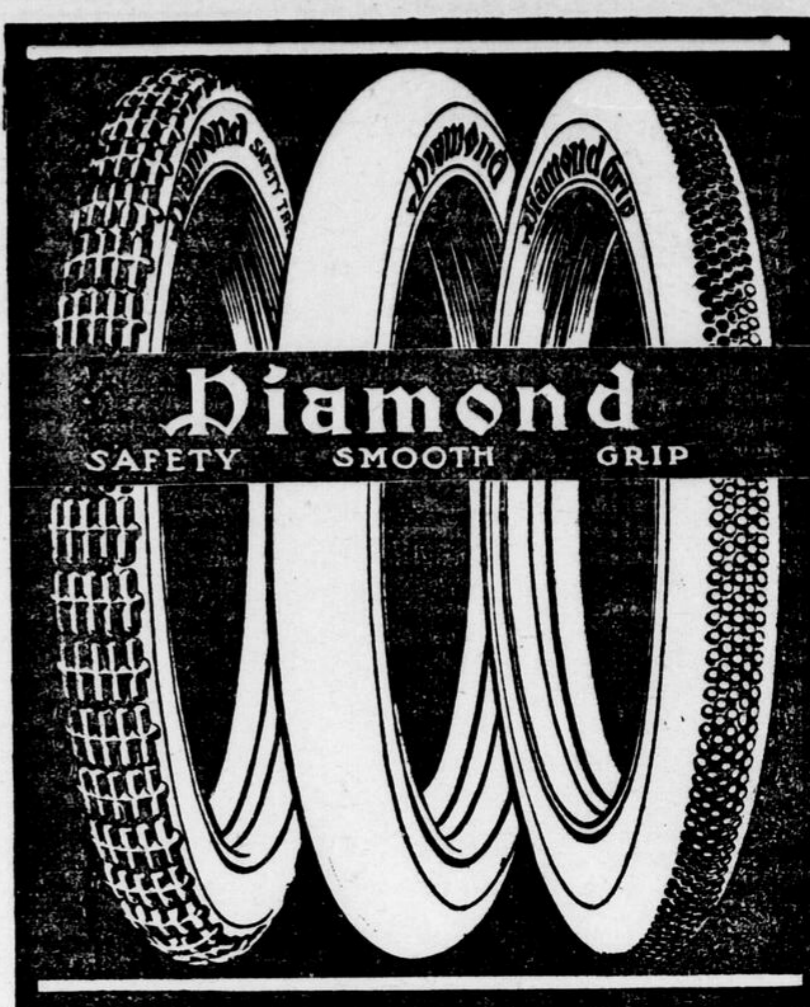
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Massawippi Valley Railway Co. ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Massawippi Valley Railway Co. will be held at the Company's Passenger Station, Rock Island, P. Q., on Wednesday, the fourth day of September, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m. S. STEVENS, Secretary. Rock Island, P. Q. Aug. 2nd, 1912. 66w4



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Some Bargains for Saturday, August 31, 1912

FINAL CLOSING OF SUMMER DRESSES

Lot No. 1. The balance of our \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Ladies' Dresses at	99 cts.
Lot No. 2. The balance of Muslin Gingham and Lawn Dresses were \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 to-day	\$1.50
Lot No. 3. 16 pr. LaFrance Pumps were \$3.00 now	\$2.50
A lot of new \$2.50 Sweaters for	\$1.75
1 Case of 1 1/4 Gray Blankets were 98c., to-day	85c.
A lot of new Flannellet, to-day	6 cts.

The Caswell & O'Rourke Store Co.

Graniteville, Way's Mills, Leadville, Cassville, Crystal Lake, Curriers, Minton, Georgeville and Griffin items on second page.

BEEBE.

Mr. R. F. McDonald, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is away on a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. James Allbee and sons have returned to New York, after a few months' stay with friends here and in neighboring towns.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Kirwin and little son have returned from an auto trip to Quebec.

Mr. Alex. Monroe went to Quebec last week to meet his sister who came from Scotland. He returned Monday evening.

The Ladies Aid had a pleasant gathering at the school room of the church last Friday, there being quite a number of visitors present.

Mr. Temple, who took Mr. Kirwin's place as manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce while he was away, left for another place for bank work last Saturday.

Mrs. Hill, of West Charleston, and her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Gatchell, spent a day at Dr. Gatchell's, going Monday to Mrs. Gatchell's home at Bennington, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bellam of Moe's River, have been spending a few days with his son, Fred Bellam.

There will be no service in the Advent Church next Sunday, as some will attend Magog campmeeting.

Mr. Foss, of Manchester, is visiting his brother, Edwin Foss. He has not been here for about ten years.

A memorial service was held at the Methodist Church last Sunday evening in memory of the late Gen. Booth, whose death occurred recently in London, England. There was a large attendance. The choir gave special music.

BROWN'S HILL.

Mr. A. S. Temple of Concord, N. H. was guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Temple, over Sunday.

Miss Villa St. Marie, of Montreal, has been spending the past week at the home of her uncle, Mr. C. R. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Curtis were the guests of his sister, Mrs. Stratton, at Derby, Vt. last Friday.

Mrs. Blake of Lowell (Mass., spent the past week at Mr. F. J. Brown's.

During the heavy electric storm on Sunday morning two of the telephone poles in front of Mr. W. H. Martin's house were struck by lightning.

Among those on the sick list are: Mrs. Fred Dunn, Mrs. K. G. Shanon, and baby Georgie Wilder.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Broussard and Miss Hazel, of Salem, Mass., are visiting at the homes of Messrs G. L. Vaughan; H. G. Vaughan and J. A. Wilder during the week.

Mr. Cortland St. Marie, of Montreal, guest of his uncle Mr. J. R. Brown, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Davis and Miss Doris, of Beebe, Que., Mr. Duqan, of Boston, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Vaughan on Sunday.

HATLEY CENTER.

Mr. S. Armstrong and Miss Florence Mudd, of Sherbrooke, were entertained by Miss Thyra McKay over Sunday.

Miss Mabel Cleveland, of Barnston, is the guest of Miss Bonnie Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo H. Young, of Medford, Mass., are guests at "Maple Lane," the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Greer went to Highgate, Vt., to spend the week-end with his mother, Mrs. James Greer.

After enjoying a couple of months with her brother here, Miss Ruby Greer returned to Highgate, Vt., to live with her mother this coming winter.

Messrs. C. A. and C. P. Young were at Stanstead Thursday on business.

The judges of the Agricultural Society were through this section on Wednesday. Messrs. Cleveland and McCoy were appointed to judge Hatley township this year.

All members of the Farmer's Club of Hatley wishing to compete for the premiums offered by the club, ought not to fail to make their entries on or before August 31st to the secretary.

The Hatley Center Brass Band gave an ice cream social on Friday evening of last week. The schoolhouse was well filled despite the threatening weather the first part of the evening. The proceeds of the evening go towards helping the finances of the band.

Our school will open on Monday, Sept. 2nd, with Miss Grace L. Oall, of Dixville, as teacher. It is hoped that the scholars will all be present and that pleasant and profitable association will be formed between the teacher and her pupils.

Through the kindness of Miss Glen Pope the many friends of Miss Edith Little gave her a kitchen shower in view of her approaching marriage. Miss Pope deserves the sincere thanks of those present for so kindly opening her home for the occasion.

MASSAWIPPI.

Miss Nellie Carr has arrived from Boston to spend some time at her father's home.

Miss Della Demaris is at home from Lyndonville.

Miss Buckland is now the guest of her mother, Mrs. Carlos Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ayer visited at "Greenbank" last Sunday.

Mrs. H. D. Turcott and two children are spending a few days with her mother at "Elm Cottage."

Mr. C. Robinson of Coatscook spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. W. Hunting.

Mrs. Albee was called to West Derby recently to see her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harrison Darling, who was taken suddenly ill with paralysis.

Mr. McClachie, of Ayer's Cliff, is engaged here installing bath room fixtures at Greenbank.

Mrs. John Watkins of Westfield, Vt., is in town to pay her mother and relatives a visit. She has with her a son of about nine years and a daughter of two years. Her sister, Miss Agnes Taylor, is expected home from Boston Wednesday night.

AYER'S CLIFF.

Rev. Mr. Norman, of Lennoxville, officiated at the Congregationalist service last Sunday morning.

Many visitors are in town this week to attend the County Fair.

Miss Hazel Dustin having resigned as clerk at the post office, Miss Veda Chamberlain is filling the place for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parkhill, Mr. and Mrs. James Parkhill, from Moose Jaw, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. A. Parkhill, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt of Boynton, Mrs. Ida Drew and daughter Lillian took a pleasant trip in company on Saturday, going to Newport by rail and thence to Magog and return by steamer Lady of the Lake.

Miss Batchelder, of Magog, called on friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. John Neil, of Clarenceville, is visiting her son, Mr. Albert Neil.

Miss Hortense Bowen, of East Hatley, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. E. Hill.

Mrs. A. A. Drew, who has been quite ill the past week, is gaining.

WAY'S MILLS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whittaker and two children, of Boston, Mass., spent last week with their cousin, Miss Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fox, of Sherbrooke, spent Sunday at E. L. Gould's.

Messrs. W. N. Horn and F. D. Gilbert drove twenty-four cattle to Sherbrooke on Tuesday. They had been purchased by Mr. Henry Gilbert, of Bromptonville.

The Misses Holmes entertained the young people of the place at tennis on Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served at 6 o'clock and games were played in the evening.

The item last week which read that Mrs. Wilkinson gave a barn party was a mistake and should have read, lawn party.

Miss Alice Bradshaw, of Montreal, is the guest of her parents at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson have returned to Rock Island.

Mr. Fred Plummer, of Lynn, Mass., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Bertram Smith.

HEATHTON.

The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. L. Cilley, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 6th.

The Sunday School picnic, which was held at Lake Lester last Saturday, was a decided success. The day was perfect and at dinner time about forty both old and young, met at the boarding house, which had been engaged by Rev. Wm. Pimlott for the occasion. The tables were loaded with a very appetizing dinner and was enjoyed by all. After dinner Walter Belknap came with his motor boat, which had also been engaged, and over thirty were seated in the boat and enjoyed a nice ride around the lake. The children and a few of the older ones climbed to the top of the pinnacle. On returning they started for their homes feeling that they had spent a most enjoyable day.

Mrs. M. S. Horne has returned home. She was called to Worcester, July 1st, to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. A. B. F. Kinney, and went from there to Fairfax, Vt., to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Conner, and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hastings, where she stayed until last Monday. She left them all well and very pleasantly situated.

Mr. John L. Heath and family, of Rock Island, have been spending his holidays with his father, Mr. W. W. Heath.

Miss Ida Pocock spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pocock are at his father's for a time.

LIBBYTOWN.

Mrs. Moy and Miss Amber Moy, of Waterville, visited Mrs. W. G. Libby last week.

Miss Flora Eames, of Bridgewater, Mass., is the guest of her friend, Miss Christina Davidson.

Mr. Ernest Davidson, of Toronto, is spending his vacation with his parents here.

Miss Grace Libby enjoyed a few days' outing last week at Elmwood Park, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson.

Mrs. W. G. Libby was at Newport on Saturday.

Mrs. L. R. Hovey and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hovey at Lake Park recently.

PLEASANT HEIGHTS.

We have had fine weather for a few days and farmers have nearly all finished haying.

Mr. Wm. Bachelard and Mr. H. Humphrey, of Magog, are in Stanstead judging crops.

Mrs. Geo. Felton, of Boston, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Bachelard for a few days.

Mr. H. R. Bachelard and wife, of Manchester, is visiting his mother, Mrs. H. Bachelard.

Miss Frances Brevoort and sister Lottie visited friends at Pleasant Heights recently.

Miss Alma Wharry has a cousin from Ontario visiting her.

Mr. Murray Wells of Crystal Lake is spending a few days with relatives here.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Wm. Patterson, of East Bolton, is a little better.

SMITH'S MILLS.

Mr. Lewis Cass has bought Mr. S. Miller's farm situated two miles from here on the road to Beebe.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Longeway have gone to Fitch Bay to spend a few weeks with their son, Maurice Longeway.

Mrs. William Comstock entertained the Ladies Aid last Friday. There was a large attendance and the proceeds amounted to a number of dollars.

Miss Olive Bailey and friend, Professor A. J. Phelps, of Richmond, Vt., spent a few days here recently, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Longeway. Professor Phelps is a Dartmouth College graduate and principal of the Academy at Richmond.

We are glad to hear that Bertha Martin is on the gain. She has been sick for a long time. Dr. Gillilan is attending her.

APPLE GROVE.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harvey and son Douglas, visited relatives in Newport and Burlington, Vt., last week.

Mr. Alonzo Brooks, of Kirby, Vt., is visiting at Mr. S. G. Drew's.

Mr. Bernard H. Ferrin, of Brookton, Mass., visited at Bay View Farm on Tuesday.

Miss Lillian I. Verbeck, of Westminster, Vt., spent the week-end at Mr. S. G. Drew's.

Mrs. Robert Brodie and daughter Dorothy, of Iversville, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. R. Bissell.

Mrs. Henry Benson and daughters Edith and Ethel, of Somerville, Mass., visited at Bay View Farm on Monday.

THE GILMAN STORE

For the last week of the Summer Clearance Sale there will be many attractive lots of merchandise marked to much less than their regular prices.

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MOTHERHOOD SUGGESTIONS

Advice to Expectant Mothers

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

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THE VALUE OF A DEFINITE MESSAGE

By Rev. H. W. Pope, Superintendent of Men of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

TEXT—This then is the message which we have heard of Him, and declare unto you.—1 John 1:4.

The world has always been willing to listen to a man with a real message from heaven. Since the days of John the Baptist whenever anyone has manifestly been sent from God, and has borne witness of the truth, the people have turned out to hear from. Luther in his day, and Wesley and Whitefield in their, were recognized as true messengers of God.

William Carey brought another great thought from heaven, and Robert Raikes another. In our own land Dwight L. Moody and Francis E. Clark and Frances Willard have each been the bearer of rich messages from God. All these have met with stout opposition, for "My thoughts are not your thoughts, saith the Lord," and yet eventually their message has been received, and has been incorporated into the life of the church.

One account of the Holy Ghost, The hoodless world had never lost.

That God has messages for the church of today no one can doubt. Never was there an age which needed divine wisdom more than ours. Great problems confront us, great dangers threaten us. Many of God's people seem dazed by the difficulties before them, and cry out in pitiful tones, "Who is sufficient for these things?" Instead of waiting upon God for a renewal of their strength, they resort to all manner of worldly expedients to gain the attention of the folk crowd. Others recognizing clearly the same difficulties and dangers are clamoring loudly for "A man with a message."

Why should not every Christian be "A man with a message?" Was it not said of our day, "I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams?" Was it not said of all believers, "Ye shall be witnesses unto me?"

How to Obtain a Message. There are grave difficulties in the way of even those who are busiest in the service of God. This is an age of hurry and worry, and unless we are very careful we shall fall into the spirit of the age, and allow ourselves to be robbed of that quiet and repose which is essential to a deep acquaintance with God. Somehow we must get time to be alone with God, time to let the truth as it is in Jesus filter down through our being until our whole life is saturated with His spirit. So shall we come forth from our closets each day with the dew of heaven upon our hearts, and with a fresh message upon our lips. "He that hath an ear to hear, let him hear what the spirit saith unto the churches."

Avoid the Danger. It is a dangerous thing to know God's will and not do it. And one of the most perilous things a Christian can do, is to try to hold his own simply, and not go forward into the deep things of God when thus led by the spirit. I have read of a Christian man who became so engrossed in his business that he largely lost his fellowship with God. After a while his business began to fail; he found that in a few weeks the vein of coal from which he had been drawing his supplies would be exhausted, and all his investment would be useless. He was also impressed that his business troubles were due to his departure from God, and this led him to much prayer.

One night in a dream a voice seemed to say to him, "Go deeper." It seemed to him to be the voice of God, and it led to an entire transformation of his life. As he entered upon a closer walk with God his heart was filled with new joy and power. But still the voice kept speaking to him so persistently that he began to think it had something to do with his business. And so one day he proposed to his foreman that they should abandon the old vein of coal, and sink a new shaft with a view of finding a deeper deposit. The foreman ridiculed the idea for all the indications were against it. But he insisted and at length a shaft was sunk, and after they had gone down a reasonable distance they struck not a vein of coal, but lo, an immense vein of iron, and suddenly the bankrupt mine found himself a millionaire.

Is not this God's message to us today, "Go deeper?" If we have exhausted all the satisfaction and power there is in our present knowledge of truth, let us enter into the deep things of God, depths of wisdom.

Dwell deep, O my soul, deeper yet, deeper by hours, dwell deep, deeper yet, in the fullness of power.

You can never tell by the length of a man's nose just what he will do in a horse trade.

DESTROYED A GOLDEN MYTH

Moral Seems to Be Let Children Discover the Truth About Santa Claus for Themselves.

It had been a hard year for the father of the family and the coming of Christmas had something of terror in it for him when he thought of how much less in the way of gifts he could do than he would have liked.

But what hurt worst was that, having had to meet some heavy bills, he found it would be quite impossible to buy the bicycle that he had promised his boy Santa Claus would bring.

He was sorry for the disappointment that he knew the lad would feel and he decided that it would be best not to wait and have the disappointment come on Christmas day. So he went to the lad, a manly little chap, and said:

"Look here, my boy, you are old enough now to understand things. Each Christmas when you received gifts you supposed, and, indeed, we told you, they were brought by Santa Claus."

"As a matter of fact, Santa Claus is only a make-believe, a tradition that has come down through the ages to help make the Christmas season brighter and happier and less selfish for children. The truth is that your mother and myself have always been your Santa Claus."

"This year, sonny, things have not been going very well with me and I can't just afford that bicycle that you thought Santa Claus was going to bring you."

"Be a brave little man about it and we'll have a merry Christmas anyway, and maybe early in the year I'll be able to get it for you. But I really can't afford it now. You won't mind very much, will you?"

"Why—no—dad," said the lad, though he had to fight a bit to keep the tears out of his eyes.

"But," he said, thoughtfully, "no Santa Claus! Why, I believed in him. Say, dad, you haven't been fooling me about Jesus, too, have you?"—St. Louis Republic.

Terms in Modern Evolution. "Yes, it was romance, all right, even if it did turn out badly. It started at one of last spring's picnics. She was plucking white daisies or something with the proper background in perspective. He saw her and muttered, 'Oh, you pretty squab!'"

"Then what?"

"Oh, she overheard it, all right, and in a roundabout way an introduction followed."

"Go on."

"Well, it wasn't many weeks before he had her out under the trees in the moonlight, with a mocking bird accompaniment, asking her: 'Oss duckie is oo?'"

"Next chapter."

"The first week in June he married her on sufficient courage to say: 'Say, chicken, let's get married?'"

"I see; short engagement, eh?"

"Yep; wedded bliss not long either. Along with other indignities alleged in her divorce petition she says he called her a goose. He retorted by saying no man was expected to stay married with a chattering guinea always around."

"Now what?"

"She got her freedom yesterday. To night he's celebrating, declaring he's glad he's rid of the old hen."—St. Louis Republic.

Tennis in Japan.

The Japanese have displayed a peculiar aptitude for lawn tennis. To many Indianapolis players the sight of an expert Japanese on the park courts is not uncommon. Among the best amateur players in the city are Japanese house servants. What they lack in height they more than make up in agility. They seem to be indefatigable. Tennis, like baseball, is steadily growing in popularity in Japan. The former has become a favorite among Japanese high school and college students. Intercollegiate games have also become popular among the students and their friends. Among the well-known institutions that have a large number of enthusiastic tennis players are the following: Tokio Higher Normal school, Tokio Commercial school (higher), Waseda university, Tokio Kyoto university, Kyoto; Third high school, Kyoto. The foreign communities in the various ports, Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki, have tennis clubs. The leading foreign club at Yokohama is known as the Ladies' Lawn Tennis club. Tennis rackets are already being manufactured in Japan, there being six factories in Tokio alone.

"Black and Blue" Bruises Explained.

The color of blood is due chiefly to iron in the little blood cells. When the iron is kept in these little blood cells, which are living and traveling around in the blood vessels, the color is red. Hit the skin hard enough to break some of the little blood vessels beneath the surface and the little red cells escape from the injured blood vessels, wander around for a while in the tissues, and die.

When they die the iron that made them red before then changes to black-and-blue coloring. After a while this iron is taken up by the glands called the lymphatics and made over again into nice red cells. The iron is taken up very much more quickly by the lymphatics if the black-and-blue spot is rubbed and massaged.

Australia's Wheat Exports. Australia exported 728,000 tons of wheat to date, compared with about 488,000 tons in 1910.

AN ANCIENT WOODS

Sherwood Forest, Robin Hood's Haunt, Still Thrives.

Notable Woodland in England Is Said to Be Unequaled in All Europe—Many Kings Have Enjoyed the Chase Here.

London.—Now that Robin Hood, prince of outlaws, has appeared again on the stage, it may be interesting to know what his former haunt, Sherwood forest, is like today. When he was alive the forests of North Yorkshire were one immense woodland, but even in its present shrunken size Sherwood is said by a correspondent of the Bellman to be unequalled in all Europe.

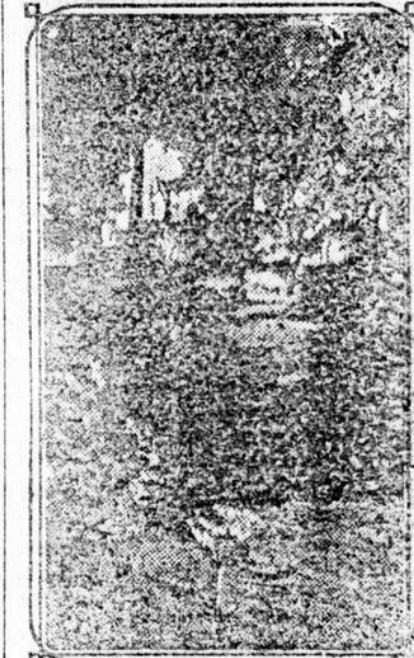
From the days of the Normans to the time of the Stuarts, some six centuries, the kings of England were often in Sherwood forest enjoying the pleasures of the chase. Here and there were royal hunting boxes, of which little now remains save more or less legendary stories. But there are still in existence many remnants of the religious houses which in their day were both numerous and important.

The district known as The Dales is perhaps the finest portion of the existing forest. Its title is due to the fact that within its borders were the homes of the dukes of Portland, Newcastle, Norfolk, Kingston and Leeds. There is no duke of Kingston today and the dukes of Norfolk and Leeds have parted with their properties. But Earl Mansera, a representative of the Kingston family, worthily maintains at Thoresby the best traditions of his race. As Welbeck Abbey the duke of Portland resides, and the duke of Newcastle's principal seat is the home of his father's at Clumber.

Sherwood is of such antiquity that no record or history makes any mention of its beginning. There is scarcely a doubt that it was part of the aboriginal forest land with which at one time England was almost covered. Now all that remains of the beautiful woodland is comprised in the portions of Birkland and Bilghagh.

It is feared, though, the forest's rapid deterioration may be predicted, for railways are to be run through and coal pits are being opened in the near neighborhood and no great time will likely elapse before the forest in all its beauty will be a thing of the past.

One of the most venerable of the ancient monarchs is the Queen, or Major, oak. At first glance it may be slightly disappointing, for the mass of foliage almost obscures the wonderful trunk, but a nearer approach will fill you with surprise and delight. It



In the Heart of Sherwood.

has a girth of 80 feet at a height of five feet, while the spread of its branches is nearly 250 feet. The hollow trunk is most remarkable. It has been recorded that seven people have breakfasted within its arched and that sixteen people have been squeezed into the hole. The marks of tempests and lightnings are visible upon its time-worn trunk.

Birklands owes its name to its birches, but it has oaks also and is a region of grace and beauty. Old and mighty trees are scattered about, some of them worn down to the very stumps of ruin, standing huge masses of blackness. A long and very beautiful drive leads to the famous old oak known as the Shambles, or Robin Hood's ladder. It is said that the prince of outlaws used to hang his valise on its branches and perhaps he did. Years ago the tree was set on fire, but though its trunk is charred and hollow, it still stands and flourishes.

Indian Deer Ceremony.

Wapato, Wash.—About 200 full-blooded Indians of the Yakima tribe met at the pompon house, half a mile east of this city, in celebration of the coming of new roots and deer. This is an annual event and is celebrated with religious ceremony. Feasting and prayer lasted throughout the entire day, the men consisting of new roots and deer meat.

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of the bowels is an absolute necessity for good health. Unless the waste matter from the food which collects there is got rid of at least once a day, it decays and poisons the whole body, causing biliousness, indigestion and sick headaches. Sals and other harsh mineral purgatives irritate the delicate lining of the bowels. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills—entirely vegetable—regulate the bowels effectively without weakening, sickening or griping. Use

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

FARM AND GARDEN

STUMP DESTROYER IS NOVEL

Solution of Problem of Clearing Land Appears to Be Solved by Washington Genius.

The problem of clearing away unsightly stumps appears to have been solved by a man in the state of Washington. Heretofore this has been done chiefly by blasting, but the apparatus shown in the illustration burns the stump down close to the



Stamp Destroyer.

ground. A vertical hole is drilled through the stump and two lateral holes, reaching to it. The reservoir is then wheeled up to it and two sets of tubes connected with the two side holes. Burning liquid fuel and air under pressure is injected through one hole and an inflammable liquid is injected through the other. When the two meet in the center hole the liquid is ignited and spreads through the entire stump, devouring it until it is eaten through down to the ground, leaving a level surface instead of the torn remains that follow dynamiting.

GIVING PLENTY OF DISTANCE

Common Mistake Made by Many Gardeners is That of Crowding Plants Too Close.

Many gardeners make the mistake of crowding garden vegetables too close in the drill. Vegetables require rapid growth and quick maturity to give quality and flavor to the plants when served. Unless the soil is exceptionally rich, and there is plenty of soil moisture available during the growing season, the plants are apt to be dwarfed and the quality of the vegetables impaired.

In producing vegetables for the market, the grower will endeavor to grow plants of high quality and desirable flavor, and he cannot afford to take any risk. It is far better to produce fewer products and gather vegetables of better quality than to have an abundance that do not command fair prices.

The safest plan is to sow plenty of seeds in order that a good stand may be secured. If the plants are tender and the spring is favorable for the insects, diseases, cold nights, etc., leave about twice as many plants as you desire to grow. When the weather is favorable for the growth of the plants, thin promptly, leaving the required number of plants. Be sure that the plants have sufficient distance to produce vegetables of extra quality.

DUMP SLED IS QUITE USEFUL

Can Conveniently Be Used for Hauling Manure During Both Summer and Winter Months.

(By J. G. GORDON.)

A dump cart for summer and a dump-sled for winter can be used very conveniently on the farm for hauling manure.

A box body may be adjusted to any sled. The pivots that swing the body should be located so as to make the top the heavier, and a pin should be run through the hind bench of the sled into the end of the body to hold it in an upright position while loading.



A Dump Sled.

As soon as a part of the load has been placed in the body this will hold it in position, then when ready to dump the load, pull out the pin and give the top of the body a push and the weight of the load will turn it over.

Barb Wire Markers.

The best device I have yet found for a "garden marker" is a piece of old barb wire which has been in use until the coil is well taken out. After the barbed wire is well rolled or fringed, the barb wire makes a plain mark by being pulled back and forth by a man at either end of the ground that is to be marked, says a writer in an exchange. This is quickly done, and does away with stakes, lines and unnecessary tramping back and forth over the ground.

GIVE HADDOCK MIDDLE A TRY

Makes a Very Delicious Dish When Well Made and This Tells You How.

Middle is really delicious when well made, but two precautions must be taken. Don't add too much water or thickening, and don't cook it too long so that the fish will break up. It takes about twenty minutes to prepare enough for two, and use a pound and a quarter of fresh haddock. Allow half a pound for each additional person, and, of course, pork and water in proportion.

Fry carefully five or six slices of pork, then place the fish (cut into pieces about an inch and a half thick) in the spider, and pour in about a cup and a half of boiling water. Cover and cook gently until fish is done. If the spider used is one that the water does not cover the fish, I have turned it, but it is better not to, as it may break. Thicken the gravy before you remove the middle to the serving dish by adding a tablespoon of flour well mixed with a little water. Muddled clams are good prepared this same way, also cod's tongues. Serve for dinner with baked or boiled potatoes.

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

A dry bread crust will clean your clock face, oil, paint, pictures or wall paper. It will take ticks off without taking the color out.

Save the tongs that come in candy boxes. You can hull strawberries with them and you won't soil your fingers.

A toothbrush and a little naphtha will clean your velvet coat collars and make them look new again.

If your pin cushion is made of sawdust put all your needles overhead in the cushion till you want them. You will find they will be bright, as they often grow rusty to leave them in paper.

Most people sprinkle fried apples with sugar just before serving. Try using salt instead and see what an entirely different flavor is given to the dish.

White enameled kitchen ware can be kept in first class condition if occasionally it is put into a large vessel of cold water to which a tablespoonful of lye has been added. Put on the stove and allow it to come to a boil; then wash the kettles in the usual way.

Unbleached muslin makes an excellent cover for the ironing board. If two or three pieces, cut and hemmed to fit, are kept at hand, there will always be a fresh cover ready in case of mishap.

Select large prunes, soak them over night and then remove the pits carefully; stuff each prune with nut meat, roll in sugar and serve as one would stuffed dates.

In order to clean bronze the article should be immersed in boiling water, then rubbed with a piece of flannel dipped in yellow soapuds and dried with a soft cloth and chamolis leather. Pine pillows should be made of butcher's linen. This is to be preferred to the color line for the oil in the pins will strike through in time and necessitate a thorough washing.

After washing dusters dip them in kerosene and dry in the open air. This makes an excellent home-made "dustless" duster. Dry moss may be similarly treated with good effect.

A New Tea Table.

The latest thing in tea tables is one that can be used as a table or a tray. It has folding automatic legs and is in the shape of a tray 27 by 17 inches and 24 inches high when the legs are opened.

Some of these combination table trays are of plain mahogany with brass handles, others are inlaid; still others are of satin wood, plain or inlaid, with plated or sterling silver rims. The table can be utilized for cards by means of a board covered with green cloth that fits into the tray.

Cream Salad Dressing.

Put in a double boiler one-half tablespoon of mustard, one-third tablespoon of salt, one tablespoon sugar, one level tablespoon of flour, a little pepper, mix; add one egg, two tablespoons of melted butter, one cup of rich milk or cream, one-quarter cup of vinegar. Cook over hot water to thicken; strain and cool.

E Z Frosting—Three tablespoons of boiled potatoes mashed, two eggs well beaten with orange.

Cream Gingerbread Cakes.

Beat two eggs until light, add one-half cup of sugar, one-half cup of molasses, three-fourths cup of thick sour cream, the grated rind of half a lemon, one salt-spoonful of salt, one teaspoon of cinnamon, one tablespoon of ginger, and finally add two cups of flour mixed and sifted with one and one-half teaspoons of soda. Bake in gem pans and frost when cold.

Cleaning Velvet.

To clean light colored velvet, corduroy or felt, rub the soiled portion lightly with the cut surface of a day old loaf of white bread, cutting off the surface as fast as it becomes discolored.

Threading a Needle.

When threading a needle with black sewing material hold the eye against a light surface. When threading with white cotton or silk, hold the eye over a dark surface. This will make the threading much easier.

FOR SALE.

A farm of 60 acres on lake shore, in Bissell neighborhood; new buildings, running water, lot of pulp wood; or would exchange for other property. I have also for sale pair team sleds with box, 30 tons lay. J. W. ELDER.

A. H. CUMMINGS & SON

LIMITED
Manufacturers of Lumber, Shingles, Clapboards, Superior House Finish. FLOORING A SPECIALTY.
Orders left with S. E. Abbott, Agt., Stanstead, will receive prompt attention.

FOR SALE CHEAP

1 Boiler 30 h. p., Leonard make; 1 Engine 35 h. p., Waterloo make; 130 in. Lefell Water Wheel; 1 Horse 7 years old, weight 1,100 lbs., sound and safe for women or children to drive and good worker. BARNSTON WOOLEN MILLS CO., Ways's Mills, Que.

ENGINE BARGAINS.

1 Olds Gasoline Engine, 35 h. p., almost new, run about a year, also 1 Leonard Steam Engine, 15 h. p., in good repairs, and boiler, 28 L. p. Am willing to put in larger power and will offer these together or separately at a bargain. WM. M. HARELTON, Beebe Junction, Que.

Water Works, Water Power, Patent Solicitor, Surveying, Bell phone 349, People's phone.

BUSINESS CHANCE

Carriage shop, three sets buildings, 1 1/2 acre land, abundant never-falling spring water. A money-making proposition. Investigate. PAUL NORMANDIN, Derby, Vt.

YOU ARE INVITED TO INSPECT MY FALL LINE OF SAMPLES SUITINGS AND OVERCOATS

500 Samples just received direct from New York

THE ROYAL TAILORS

Over one hundred Fashion Plates to select your Fall Suit or Overcoat

Guaranteed all Pure Wool. This guarantee with every Garment.

SIX DAY DELIVERY

Here is my special offer which has never been offered before on Royal Tailored Garments. To those placing their order between now and the 17th of August a discount of 10 p. c. on Suits or Overcoats from the Royal Tailors' own price list.

Made to order to fit you. Guaranteed Fit or money back. Such a range of Suitings and Overcoats never shown in these parts before. Worth investigating.

WATCH MY WINDOW DISPLAY

W. H. KIRKLAND

AUTHORIZED TAILOR

DERBY LINE, - VERMONT

CAR LOAD OF RANGES AND HEATERS

AT

HUNT'S HARDWARE STORE

Buying by the car load enables us to carry the stock and sell at the right price. Our stock is made up of the following:

Monarch Peninsular Ranges, Magee Ranges, Hecla, Magee, Kelsey and Glenwood Hot Air Furnaces, and a Full Line of Steam and Hot Water Heaters.

NEW PERFECTION BLUE FLAME KEROSENE COOKING RANGES

NEW WRINKLES: DOUBLE-LINED AND DOUBLE-SEAMED DAYLIGHT OVENS

You can't fool the cook when she uses this stove, for she can see all that is going on in the oven; she won't have to open the oven door and consequently the loaf or roast will go right on browning, and be taken out when done. There is nothing like really seeing what's doing in the oven.

The Iceman is now coming; how about your refrigerator? we have a fine line from \$9.50 to \$18

You remember our Enamel Ware (?) we have the perfect kind, no seconds or thirds in our stock. The fact is it don't pay to buy any but the best, and we have that kind.

Our stock of Builder's and Shelf Hardware we are gradually increasing, a greater variety this season than ever before.

Plumbing, Steam Fitting and Jobbing and full line of Fittings and Pipe

RALPH J. HUNT, - Rock Island and Derby Line

THE BALL SUBDIVISION

This beautiful property is now ready for sale. It has been carefully plotted and over 200 Maple and Spruce trees planted. Phelps Avenue has been graded to the property on its Canadian side, and Caswell Avenue has been graded and graveled to the property on its Vermont side. The two Avenues are connected by a new street, named Ball Street, running North and South. The location of this property is about ideal for residential purposes, being very accessible from either of the Villages, and it has lots located on either side of the Boundary Line, and two, numbers 11 and 12 are bisected by the line. The price is very reasonable for this kind of property and it will doubtless sell readily because of its desirability.

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

The plot can be seen and the prices of the property be obtained also in the office of Charles E. Bennett, Derby Line, Vermont.

SPECIAL RESTRICTIONS

- 1st. If the municipality wish to increase the width of the streets, which are now 35 feet, 10 feet is reserved in the conveyance for the purpose.
- 2nd. All Buildings shall not be erected nearer than 50 feet of the street.
- 3rd. No factory, business building or public stable shall be erected for a period of 25 years.
- 4th. No dwelling shall be erected costing less than \$2,000.00.

Home Town Helps

ALONG THE PUBLIC HIGHWAY

Magnificent Idea Would Be to Plant Fruit or Nut Trees on Each Side of the Road.

Away back in 1769 the Bavarian government issued a decree requiring all land owners to plant fruit trees along the public highways bordering their estates, and the work was systematically under way about the middle of the last century.

And now it is said that Bavaria has a wealth of fruit trees, amounting to something like \$170,000,000.

Such a requirement might impose something of a hardship upon small estates and farm lands in America, but one wishes that public sentiment might have influenced the establishment of so gracious a custom a hundred years ago, apportioning the burden wherever it belonged. Fancy the pleasure of a walk or a drive along public highways in the gala spring-time of the year, with trees just bursting into blossoming glory! Our grandfathers and our great-grandfathers failed to leave us the beautiful and valuable heritage, but it is never too late for a beginning. And without any consideration of the practical end of it, its feasibility or otherwise, why could not such a movement be started in America, just a movement, based upon pride rather than compulsion?

We have our dreams of the country beautiful and we expect that sometime we shall have reason to grow glad and proud of the wonderful stretches of land that can hold their own throughout the world. And in those dreams nut trees are just as riotously abundant as the more luscious, but not more tempting, fruit trees.

FOR THE LAWN OR PARKWAY

The Cannas, as an Ornament, May Truly Be Considered as Absolutely Indispensable.

As an ornament in the lawn or parkway the canna has become indispensable. It is noted for its endurance of the hot sun. Its leathery foliage always looks fresh and green; the better the sun the more abundantly the cannas flower.

Cannas also do well in the shade, although they flower far less freely under such conditions. Cannas should be planted in very rich garden soil, which should be mixed if possible in equal proportions with well rotted manure.

When the plants are growing freely, they should be watered freely. Set the plants 18 inches apart each way and if more than one kind is used be careful to plant the taller varieties in the center of the bed—if it be circular—with the dwarf varieties outside or in front. Varieties may be obtained which will reach the height desired. Canna beds as a rule should be planted to a single color. An excellent border for a canna bed is salvia.

There are hundreds of named varieties of cannas, with large flowers and with small, tall and dwarf growing. A large variety in color both of blossoms and foliage may be obtained.

Should plants which have been started in a greenhouse be set out, they should not be transplanted until all danger of frost is passed.

Artistic Park Building.

In small cities and towns we find but one park, as a rule, and this of very limited extent. Scientific planning and planting will make this area appear several times as great and possess at the same time the highest artistic value. Gracefully winding roads and paths, with changing views and vegetation at each new turn will make a very small park or garden seem of unusual interest and extent.

It must not be thought from the foregoing that the very best effects may be gained in this way or that the fundamental elements of a fair-sized park are its roads, paths, and other accessories, for these are really its necessary evils. The essential element in an ideal park is its natural landscape beauty, the undulations of surface; canyons, hills, long level stretches, or water, etc. All these, in proper combinations and modifications work the ceaseless change and give a fresh charm to every part. After this comes the vegetation, and last of all those most distinctly man-made things, as: walks, drives, bridges, buildings, etc.

Don't Expect Too Much.

Though this is the land of big things, of marvelous growth and development, even in plant life, we must not expect to have a finished garden in a day. An attractive picture of a park or home grounds cannot be built in a day, week, month or year. Properly to plant—the proper stuff, in proper place and at proper distance apart—requires much knowledge, experience and study, with not a little ingenuity or genius; also an artistic taste. Now that we have all of it put down on paper, it must appear that this work should be done only by one experienced in the work. The work in too many gardens is absolutely meaningless; there is no good reason why the plants are placed where they are. Such places have no character. —Los Angeles Herald.

"THE SOUL OF ADVERTISING"

Beautiful Word Picture of Harrington Emerson Given at Dallas Convention of Advertising Clubs.

The following beautiful word picture of the "Soul of Advertising" is from the address delivered by Harrington Emerson at the Dallas convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America. The philosophy, wisdom and genuine poetry of the address will commend it to all:

"Consider three of the most attractive and beautiful things that live—flowers, fruit, women. It is from them that we shall learn about the soul of advertising.

"The flower wants the bee and the butterfly to help it. It is not helped it will not ripen into fruit, it will fade, wither and die. It must advertise. So it decks itself out with all imaginable beauty of form and color. It pours out perfume that is carried miles afar. Those who scent the perfume, those whose eyes are charmed by the color and form, hasten to where the flower is.

"In the flowers and in the fruits you can find the soul of advertising, and also concrete, definite examples of successful advertising practice.

"The soul of advertising, as of other psychological control of humanity, consists in first liking the one you are claiming you serve so that he will in turn like you. There is a gulf between getting up as good a watch as can be made for the money and asking a dollar for it, and taking a man's dollar and giving him as little as possible in return. There is a tremendous difference between running the safest steamers in the world, incidentally also the fastest and most luxurious as are the Cunarders, and charging high prices for the tickets and giving speed and luxury and neglecting every underlying moral principle of efficiency.

"Therefore, the soul of advertising further consists in making the client, the buyer, serve commercial ends by first giving him what he most needs. In such agreeable form that he is willing and eager to purchase. A dinner prepared by a French chef is more healthy, more digestible than one prepared by the unskilled cook and incidentally it tastes so good that we are willing to pay three times as much for it. The whole aim of the good cook is to put what is good, not what is bad, in palatable form. Therefore, the fact is recognized that the more solid benefits are etherealized, are spiritualized, are made romantic not by direct appeal to the grosser instincts of self-preservation, race preservation and parasitism, three major instincts, but by appeals of color, of perfume and of taste. The flower never advertised the fact that it had proteins and hydrocarbons very useful to bees and butterflies as food and building materials. It advertised color and beauty and sweetness and took pains to put something of transcendent value back of them. The fruit never advertised starch and cellulose, it advertised color and beauty, and aroma and lusciousness and it gave with these qualities transcendent food value. Woman does not advertise her usefulness, she advertises her attractiveness, and the woman who makes good gives all the real essentials, a whole life of self-effacing devotion.

"To what extent have advertisers grasped the soul of advertising?"

A paper must circulate in the family if it is going to be a paying proposition to the advertiser. The home is where the advertisement is laid upon the table for discussion; in the home the family council is always in session; bargains and advertised articles are discussed and arrangements made with the family exchequer.

Advertising a Factor.

Advertising today is one of the biggest factors in the commercial world. The retailer and manufacturer no longer asks, "Does advertising pay?" but he asks, "What kind of advertising pays best?" He realizes that he must advertise in order to keep his business alive and growing. In years back when a merchant went into business he prepared for at least two or three years' loss, before he could establish his trade and put his business on a paying basis. Today with the proper advertising, he can make his store pay all the expenses the very first year and make a good profit the second year. This applies also to the manufacturer. In years back he had to send out salesmen to develop new territory, to work up new trade, and it took him two or three years to put his business on a paying basis. Today the manufacturer can put his business on a paying basis quicker than the retailer—he can start out with an advertising campaign, distributing his goods, get new accounts, make his goods known to the consumer, and almost over night, as it were, build up a profitable business.

Copy Must Be Live.

Most merchants are beginning to appreciate the importance of live newspaper advertising. In fact, many of the larger department stores and also specialty stores, such as men's clothing, women's wear shops and even jewelry houses, haberdashers, etc., are devoting as high as 90 per cent. of their advertising appropriation for newspaper advertising exclusively. This proves to any mind one thing quite conclusively, that newspaper advertising can be made profitable providing you keep it alive.

ICES FOR THE SUMMER DAYS

Refreshing and Cooling Dishes That Can Be Made Without Much Trouble.

Five Threes.—Three oranges, three bananas, three cups granulated sugar, three pints of water, whites of three eggs. Dissolve sugar in water, then boil about three minutes. Set aside to cool. Peel and mash bananas, squeeze juice from oranges. Mix with the cooled syrup, put in freezer; when about two-thirds frozen add the beaten whites of eggs and finish freezing.

Orange Ice.—Six large oranges, one lemon, two pints of water, two cups of granulated sugar, whites of two eggs. Squeeze juice from oranges and lemon, dissolve sugar in water, then mix all together; put in mold and freeze; when nearly frozen stir in the well-beaten whites of eggs and give a few more turns to freezer in order to make it smooth and creamy.

Lemon Ice.—Juice of six lemons, one orange, one-half pound sweet almonds, three cups granulated sugar, two pints of water. Dissolve sugar in water, add lemon and orange juices, blanch and pound to a paste the almonds, stir into other ingredients and freeze.

Pineapple Ice.—One can shredded pineapple (or enough fresh pineapple to make as much as a can contains), three cups granulated sugar, two pints of water. Dissolve sugar in water, mix with pineapple and freeze.

Strawberry Ice.—One pound fresh strawberries, three cups of powdered sugar, two pints of water, one lemon. Stalk strawberries, put in colander and let water run over them to remove any sand; if perfectly clean omit washing. Sprinkle lemon juice over berries and let stand five minutes, then mash them with wire potato masher, dissolve sugar in water, mix all together and freeze.

SIMPLE NUT CANDY RECIPE

Wholesome Home Made Confection Can Easily Be Made by Following These Directions.

One and one-half cupfuls of New Orleans molasses, three-fourths cupful of granulated sugar, three-fourths cupful of butter, one-half pound of figs, one cupful of pecan nut meats, one cupful of shell-bark nut meats, one and three-fourths cupfuls of Brazil nut meats, one and one-fourth cupfuls of English walnut meats, a pinch of baking soda.

Boil the sugar and molasses as for molasses candy until nearly done, then add the butter and continue boiling until it becomes brittle when a little of it is tried in cold water. Add the figs, which have been scraped and chopped fine, and the soda; also add the nuts, which should be carefully selected. When well mixed pour into a buttered breadpan of medium size. When cool cut around the edge and turn out. Divide into slices.

THESE WILL TICKLE PALATE

Home Made Bonbon for a Luncheon—Now Way to Serve Apple Salad.

A home-made bonbon of a spring luncheon is achieved by dipping big strawberries with the hulls on them in a fondu such as is used for cream candies. This may be the boiled or unboiled variety made from confectioners' sugar and white of eggs. Let the cream harden, but do not keep too long, as the strawberry soon spoils. Keep in a cold place.

Apple salad seems a rather poor excuse to most persons, but is at least artistic if served in the highly polished apple shells. Scoop out the contents, cut into small pieces and mix with equal parts of finely shredded celery and a well seasoned mayonnaise. Fill the hollow apples and garnish the tops with shredded red and green peppers.

To Prevent Fading.

The fading of colored articles is due often, not to the washing, but to the ironing. Irons that are too hot are used directly on the material, and this will more quickly fade delicate colors than any amount of washing. Be sure that the article is evenly dampened and that the iron is only hot enough to smooth the wrinkles properly by firm, even pressure, and you will have no more trouble from fading. Skirts should never be ironed across the gores, but up and down, otherwise the fit of the garment will be ruined.

Towels.

Shake towels out well and hang them on the line, with their upper edges parallel with it. When they are taken down fold, immediately, and put away. No ironing will be necessary, which saves quite a little time and energy. This same thing applies to cloths and wash cloths.

Use for Stale Bread.

Take stale, light bread and cut in one-half inch squares, then toast to a nice brown; put in a glass jar to use in any kind of soup. It is a nice substitute for crackers.

Try Paper Bags.

Use paper bags for cooking. This saves pot washing, is most clean and sanitary and not expensive. When ever pots and pans are used wash them at once.

Baking Hint.

Grease your cake pans real good and then flour them. This will prevent oaks from sticking. Try it.

TOWN TOPICS.

Little Molly Bissonet is gradually getting better from her long and obstinate illness.

James A. Gilmore Co. shut down their factory Saturday for two weeks to give their employees an opportunity for a vacation and to make some needed repairs.

Mr. James Dewey is finishing the tenements in his block as fast as possible. We ought soon to have all the rents needed, but the congestion seems to be about the same.

The filling out of the abutments of the upper bridge with concrete has made it safe and durable. It is a wonder that the bridge had not collapsed and injured or killed some one.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Buffinton, of Bristol, R. I., and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Goff, of Warren, R. I., arrived in town by automobile Sunday evening. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Baxter.

Ex-President Theodore D. Roosevelt will speak at the Fair Ground, Barton at 4.30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Those desiring to hear him can leave here at noon and return on the mail train.

Messrs. Charles E. Kathen, Charles R. Jenkins and wife, Mayor Stewart and wife, George House and wife and T. Sheafe Haskell left for Quebec Tuesday. The gentlemen will go to the club house of the Scott Fish & Game Club for a two weeks' outing, the ladies will return from Quebec city after spending a little time there.

There will be a meeting of all those interested in the success of the Progressive party, the election of Theodore Roosevelt, president, and Hiram Johnson, vice-president, at the rooms of the Columbian Club, Friday evening directly after the band concert for the purpose of organizing a Roosevelt and Johnson club and to provide ways and means for furthering the interests of the progressive cause.

Mr. George P. Webster, of Boxford, Mass., a member of the Massachusetts lower house, spoke from the band stand Monday noon to a somewhat scattered audience, who were obliged to hug the jambs to avoid the rain. What Mr. Webster had to say was in the interest of the Progressive movement. His reception here was not heavily laden with eagerness to hear his message, and the cheering at the close was somewhat muffled by elbow structure. Mr. Webster continued his itinerary to Holland, Morgan, West Charleston and Island Pond. Conditions here were not propitious.

We visited the completed new home of Mr. Lawrence Laythe on South Main Street recently. It is practically an eight-room house with bath room. There is an ample veranda, reception hall, living room, dining room and kitchen on the first floor. All these but the kitchen are finished in red oak of a very neat mill design, the kitchen is in Georgia pine. There are four chambers on the second floor and a bath room. It is heated with a well installed Glenwood furnace, economically large. The windows have two casements, the lower of one light and the upper of a tasty pattern in leaded glass. It is a fine cottage home.

Messrs. A. V. S. Cullins and son have purchased the Derby Line hotel property, house, grounds and furnishings, of Mrs. Persis Foster, of New York. The new owners will remodel the house as fast as possible, increasing its rooming capacity. The successful business of the past few months warrants this contemplated increase.

The Cullins family are very popular with their guests. They keep a clean, orderly, up-to-date home for local people wishing to board, and the commercial men speak in the highest terms of its service. It is not the intention of the new proprietors to change the exterior particularly for the present, but they can perhaps change the interior so that forty or fifty per cent. more guests can be cared for, and by touches here and there make the interior more cheery and attractive. The purchase price and terms of sale were reasonable. We anticipate and most certainly bespeak a very successful period for this famous old hostelry. The community is interested in its future and doubtless will do all they can to further its success. We often hear that it is an impossibility to make a success in the hotel business without a saloon annex. The majority of our citizens are sober and law-abiding and should go out of their way to stand by this example of a barless hotel.

The chartered banks of Canada continue to steadily expand their sphere of influence. The "Bank Directory" for the month of August shows that in July there were opened twenty-six new branches while six were closed. On July 31st the total number of bank branches in Canada was 2,718. Of these 1,068 were in Ontario, 440 in Quebec, 111 in Nova Scotia, 74 in New Brunswick, 14 in Prince Edward Island, 195 in Manitoba, 241 in Alberta, 349 in Saskatchewan, 223 in British Columbia and 3 in the Yukon. Canadian banks have also thirteen branches in Newfoundland and sixty-two in other parts of the world. Of these latter most are in the United States and the British West Indies.

FALL GOODS GILMORE BROS.

These cool, shivering nights and mornings must cause you to think of your needs for the Fall and Winter. A little earlier than usual we have opened up our Fall and Winter lines to enable our customers to take an early look at them.

THE LINES INCLUDE
CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS,
MEN'S SHOES AND SWEATERS

We have a beautiful line of Sweaters and this is the time of the year that this particular garment is very useful, comfort bringers.

We have them from 50 cts. to \$7.00

We shall be pleased to show you our stock and talk over your requirements with you.

GILMORE BROS.
DERBY LINE, - VERMONT

LOOK AT THIS!

Sixty-four lots have been surveyed and staked in broadlawn, the new subdivision in the heart of Beebe, and are ready for inspection.

Why not buy and build and live in your own home and stop paying rent?

These lots can be purchased on the installment plan—EASY TERMS.

Prices for lots remain the same until September 15th, 1912.

See H. B. Stewart, Beebe, or

CAMPBELL & BELLAM

Real Estate Agents

Beebe Junction, Que.

The Caswell & O'Rourke Store Co. GENERAL STORE

If you have any idea of buying a

3-BURNER PERFECTION OIL STOVE

With the improved Daylight Oven

for next Summer, call in to-day and hear our story on these Stoves, we have 25 in stock and will make prices on them that will warrant you buying. Now and having the use of the stove this Fall and Winter and getting the benefit of the 1913 price.

Boys' School Shoes the kind that is Waterproof and the time to buy them is now, and at this store.

The Bass Shoe, Boys' Educator, The High Lace and Pollowog. Boys' Sweaters, Boys' Knee Trousers and Underwear.

2 Refrigerators at Cold Weather Prices.

20 pieces of Linoleums and Oil Cloths in our Furniture Dept.

RENIHAN BROTHERS

—Successors to—

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