

WILLIAM S. HYDE

FOR PROBATE JUDGE

THERE IS NO FORMIDABLE OPPOSITION IN SIGHT AT PRESENT.

Will Complete Term as Labor Commissioner Also, Probate Office Under New Management Open Three Days Weekly. That Will Be Enough.

There will be a special election meeting on May 8 when the voters of the town will be called upon to choose a successor to Olin B. Wood, who will retire as judge of probate, having reached the age limit of 70 years.

The political parties will call for caucuses this month for the nomination of candidates for the office of judge of probate. At the present time there appears to be an open field for Labor Commissioner W. S. Hyde and he no doubt will receive the votes of the electors.

He has stated that he would like the position of judge of probate for this district, and if "Bill" wants the position the majority of voters are ready to give to him.

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MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN SOME MOOSE BENEFITS

The membership campaign which started in the local lodge of Moose this week is bearing fruit and a number of candidates will be present at the meeting to be held in Foresters hall next Wednesday evening.

It appears that the most successful campaign of the local lodge has inaugurated. There are 300 active members on the rolls at the present time and the attractive proposition which the lodge presents to its members makes it one of the best fraternal orders of the town.

The lodge pays \$7.00 per week sick benefits and \$100.00 funerals expenses. It also provides medical attention to members and their families.

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MAKING SUCCESS OF CHEMICAL WORK

Walter Behlendorf, son of Charles and Mrs. Behlendorf of Main street has returned to his employment with the American Chemical Company at Millburn, N. J.

He is getting on exceedingly well with his work as a chemist. He is very enthusiastic in the study of chemistry and devotes his entire energies to his work.

He has accomplished some tasks that have been well pleasing to his employers. This fact has tended to advance him in position.

Elman Brothers, the progressive dry goods merchants in the Johnson block on Main street have arranged for a unique moving picture performance at the Park Theater next Tuesday afternoon, April 9th.

The H. W. Gosard Co. they will show an intensely interesting film story entitled "The Social Key"

See how nine women with ordinary figures obtain charming, graceful lines by wearing correctly Gosard Corsets. See how Mrs. Allen and her three daughters were cruelly snubbed and then how their triumphs are devoted to other undertakings many of which may be made to bring him in revenue.

Complimentary passes are being issued by Elman Brothers and you can obtain as many as you desire for the requirements of that office that is their Corset Department.

Park Theater

John F. Sullivan, proprietor of the Park Theater has installed a spot light in his theater and is now in a position to add materially to the attractiveness of vaudeville performances.

An operation carried out under direction given by a surgeon 1,500 miles away and sent by telegraph saved a life in Australia recently, according to the Scientific American.

The subject fell from his horse at Hall's Park in northern Australia and suffered serious injuries, including a rupture of the urethra.

Oh girls! Did you see the lovely pendant the St. Marys Club is offering for a prize at their masquerade next Thursday evening at Cheney Hall? It is in the Dewey-Richman window and is a peach.—Adv.

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SANITARY DANGERS FROM DOMESTIC PETS

A report on an epidemic of typhus smallpox in one of the southwestern states, submitted to the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service by one of the officers of that corps, sets forth with renewed emphasis the role that domestic pets may play in the transmission of disease, especially among children.

In no other way could the source of the infection of the baby be explained, than that the dog fondled by the children of the smallpox family carried the virus of the disease to the neighbor's baby.

Altogether therefore, it is perfectly evident that the citizen who keeps domestic pets maintains at the same time a very potential source of danger to a sanitary menace to his own household and to that of his neighbor.

Charles F. Murphy of Tammany said in a discussion of Bolshevism: "The spread of Bolshevism should surprise us, for money's corrupting power is immense."

"A senator, while traveling in the South, attended a colored church one Sunday morning and paid a \$20 bill on the collection plate.

"The collector gave a strike. He carried the plate with its little heap of coppers and ticks and its crisp yet low bill, up to the pulpit. There he and the preacher and a couple of other men showed the other his wad of coppers and living models there will be other rolls showing, combining to make an educational and instructive program.

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MOTHER GAVE THIS DELICATE CHILD VINOL

And He Got Well and Strong. That's True. Monica, Pa.—My little boy, who is the youngest of three, was weak, nervous and tired all the time...

LAMSON HUBBARD HATS. SOLD BY A. EGER & CO. 849 MAIN ST. FIRE INSURANCE

Fire Insurance. Automobile, Fire and Liability Insurance. Also Tobacco Insurance. RICHARD G. RICH AGENT

Meats and Groceries. J. H. WOODHOUSE & SON. Goods Delivered by Automobile

Real Estate and Insurance. R. E. CARNEY. Real Estate. House & Hale Bldg. So. Manchester

WANTED. To list all classes of Real Estate and business propositions for sale. ROBERT M. REID

FOR RENT. About April 1, seven-roomed house with steam heat. 11-2 acres land. FOR SALE. 65 farms all sizes 15 to 200 acres.

What Rises Falls. "An epidemic is what rises falls," said Uncle Eben. A head that ticks all day is treated with constant consideration.

MUCH K. OF C. WORK TO BE DONE IN FRANCE

BY SUPREME DIRECTOR MULLIGAN AND SUPREME CHAPLAIN REV. P. J. Mc GIVNEY. Two Million Dollars to be Spent. Will Establish Suitable Headquarters Base Hospitals etc. at Ports of Entry for Soldiers and Sailors.

Attorney William J. Mulligan of Hartford is soon to sail for France as a representative of the board of Directors of the Knights of Columbus for the purpose of securing by lease or purchase, suitable headquarters for the American soldiers at the various ports of entry to France...

Mr. Walter Kernan, the overseas commissioner of the Knights of Columbus, returned from France some weeks ago and made a report to the Board of Directors as to conditions and a short time ago he returned and will soon be joined by Mr. Mulligan...

The Administration at Washington early endorsed the work of the Knights of Columbus and now that work is well under way in this country in the various camps and cantonments the Order is planning to spend about three million dollars abroad during the year 1918.

Before the Reverend Father McGivney and Mr. Mulligan return they expect to have over one hundred headquarters at work and to be able to have recreation halls established wherever our soldiers are settled.

For six terms Mr. Mulligan was State Director in Connecticut and in the present time is a member of the Supreme Board of Directors. He is familiar with the work of the Order in this country in connection with the war activities he has visited several of the camps and cantonments and has talked in several states in the interest of the war fund.

During the past week several officers cited before the Federal Food Administrator for excess sales of flour and sugar, made the plea that they were "not notified" of the rules. "I have seen it in the papers but I have not been officially notified" one dealer said.

Ignorance of the rules is no excuse when new laws are passed the government does not notify every citizen of them and ignorance of them does not excuse violators. Announcement in the newspapers of the rules is sufficient notice. The Federal Food Administrator for Connecticut endeavors to send notice to the trades of all important rulings affecting the merchant in his doubt about any regulations let him make inquiry of his local war bureau.

Big Things. The greatest structure ever raised by the hand of man is the Great Pyramid of Cheops, founded 4000 years ago, and measuring 740 feet square on the base and 445 feet high. It has worked for three months and being equally heavy. It is an investment stone were brought from Arabia, 700 miles away. The cost of the work is estimated at \$15,000,000.

APRIL 19 NAMED ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

Arbor and Bird Day on Friday, April 19, has been proclaimed by Governor Holcomb. The document follows: State of Connecticut. By His Excellency MARCUS H. HOLOMB, Governor.

Our statutes provide that the governor shall annually appoint an Arbor and Bird Day to be observed in the schools. In compliance therewith I hereby designate Friday, the nineteenth day of April, nineteenth hundred and eighteen, as Arbor and Bird Day, on which day the teachers will read this proclamation to their scholars and impress upon them that the wanton destruction of trees and their eggs is a crime, and that the planting and preservation of trees benefit them and succeeding generations, and materially adds to the beauties of their state, now one of the most attractive states in the Union.

Given under my hand and seal of the state of Connecticut, at the Capitol, in Hartford, this sixth day of April, 1918. Marcus H. Holcomb, Governor. By His Excellency's command: F. L. Perry, Secretary of State.

MANCHESTER DEFEATS HARTFORD SOCCER TEAM

The Manchester soccer team which held the Hartford-United eleven to a tie game in this place a week ago Sunday, on Monday last, Sunday, April 7, defeated the Hartford United team, 7 to 4, eliminating the United from the final cup competition. The score was estimated at close to 2,000 expected to see a much closer game, the work well under way in a few months.

Soon after the game got under way early in the afternoon, the Hartford team, who were at their best, and who seemed to make no attempt to block the play. On the next play Manchester took the ball again and scored a goal. Williams put the ball in the lines for the second score. With a two-point lead Hartford woke up for a few minutes at least. Webb drew the ball towards the local goal and Somerset tried to block the play and in so doing pushed the ball in his own goal for the third point for the Manchester team. The balance of the game Manchester played the ball in front of the local goal. Just before half time was called Gillian of the United managed to have over one hundred feet to get one past Hamer for the first score after receiving a beautiful pass from Glaser. The half ended with Manchester leading 4 to 1.

The second stanza opened up with a rush, but both teams began to tire before it was over. The United bombarded the Manchester goal, but Hamer was the man of the hour and made some wonderful plays that the war activities he has visited several of the camps and cantonments and has talked in several states in the interest of the war fund.

Manchester Hartford Hamer goal 1. Molyneux 1. Howell 1. Galbraith 1. Somerset 1. Webb 1. Cobham 1. Hill 1. Crackhams 1. Little 1. Shields 1. Gardner 1. Shields 1. Williams 1. Gillian 1. Doyle 1. Sellars 1. Venart 1. Chippie 1. Scores, Manchester 7, Hartford 4; goals scored, for Manchester, Williams 2, Webb, Venart, Galbraith and Shields; for Hartford, Glaser 2, Somerset; Gillian, referee, Miller, New Haven; timers, Friemborn and Glaser; time of halves, 45 minutes.

Value of Concentration. Concentration is the most desirable of mental faculties. It is the power of paying attention to the thing and person in hand. It is an investment stone were brought from Arabia, 700 miles away. The cost of the work is estimated at \$15,000,000.

MAGAZINE POSTAGE FOR SOLDIERS ABROAD

ALL MUST HEREAFTER BEAR ONE CENT STAMP IRRESPECTIVE OF WEIGHT. Also Printed "Notice to Reader." Free Transportation of Such Matter Not Allowed Now. Too Bulky and Burdensome for Tonnage.

Magazines which are unwrapped and unaddressed can no longer be sent to members of the American Expeditionary Forces abroad free of charge. Hereafter, according to instructions received yesterday at the local post office of the postmaster-general at Washington all such magazines must bear a one-cent stamp and a printed "notice to reader."

When you finish reading this magazine place a one cent stamp on this notice, mail the magazine and will be placed in the hands of our soldiers or sailors destined to proceed overseas. NO WRAPPING—NO ADDRESS. Unwrapped, unaddressed copies of future issues of magazines, not already prepared will not be accepted for mailing, hereafter, at the one-cent rate without the notice to reader printed on the cover.

QUARTER GAS METERS ARE VERY DANGEROUS

"Another cause of the appalling number of deaths from gas-poisoning in the use of quarter meters. There are more than 215,000 such meters in use in Massachusetts out of a total of 700,000 meters. When the gas runs out under the quarter meter plan, many people go to bed, forgetting to turn off their gas-jets. Some other person in the house, or another member of the family in the next room, possibly, desires to sit up a little later, and goes down cellar and puts a quarter in the meter, thereby turning on the gas again all over the house.

The person who unwittingly fell asleep without turning off his jets often killed. This board has considered the advisability of discontinuing the quarter meters absolutely, but every time the proposition is advocated there arises

Send for Swift & Company's 1918 Year Book

It shows that Swift & Company sells the meat from a steer for less money than the live steer cost! Proceeds from the sale of the hide, fat, and other by-products covered all expense of dressing, refrigeration, freight, selling expense and the profit of \$1.29 per steer as shown by Swift & Company's 1917 figures as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Average price paid for live cattle per steer \$84.45, Average price received for meat 68.97, Average price received for by-products 24.09, Total received 93.06, This leaves for expenses and profit 8.61, Of which the profit per steer was 1.29.

Crawford Ranges SOLD BY Watkins Bros. Inc.

Public opinion has made Certain-teed a product of international prominence and use. That fact has built up the Certain-teed business from nothing, 14 years ago, to the world's largest roll roofing industry now.

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MONTHLY BILLS
NEARLY \$9,000
 The board of selectmen drew orders on the town treasurer for the payment of monthly bills at their meeting last evening. The amount was not large, the total being but \$8,768.40. The highway payroll and electric current called for the largest amounts. The members of the board of health presented their bills for one half of their yearly salaries. The lists of orders drawn was as follows:
 S. M. Benton, milk houses 10.00
 G. M. Barber, building inspector and board of health salary 450.00
 F. T. Blinn, fire, Co., 23.75
 M. Armstrong, dump caretaker 34.00
 Mrs. B. C. Apel, rent 6.00
 Alex. Arnott, legal work 192.50
 Bellamy's Garage, auto supplies and storage 49.75
 Barber & West, supplies 28.45
 Chas. T. Beach, salaries 4.00
 Chas. E. Beebe, dog checks 12.25
 R. F. Binnett, groceries 8.00
 J. F. Bowen, engineer and auto expense 102.00
 H. O. Bowers, rent 72.00
 C. R. Burr, dog Co., trimming 65.50
 J. M. Burke, groceries 10.00
 A. L. Brown & Co., furnishings 2.15
 John Lusk, rent 9.00
 Chas. Lockwood & Brainard Co., dog posters 2.75
 Fred Chartier, groceries 14.00
 J. P. Cheney, pasturing 30.00
 3 cows
 Com. Co., transportation 36.00
 Mrs. Davidson, rent 39.87
 Mrs. Henry De Forge, board Stewart Dillon, groceries 12.00
 Emma K. Kridiger, rent 12.00
 Elliott Fisher Co., repairs to typewriter 1.86
 Ferris Brothers, railing 40.00
 G. F. Finley, 4 pigs 32.00
 Wm. Fitzgerald, trucking 90.00
 W. J. Flood, advertising 11.00
 Foley's Express, men and team 4.00
 Theo. Griswold & Co., seed 9.01
 J. W. Goslee, forest fire 21.40
 H. H. Hamlin, attendance to sick horse 38.25
 Hartford Sand & Stone Co., trap rock 112.16
 P. Heffron, janitor 65.12
 J. D. Henderson, salary and expense board of health 102.80
 H. F. Hill, rate book preparations 55.00
 F. B. Horton, 12 dogs 48.00
 Clara Hotchkiss, board 36.00
 G. H. Howe, tax collector 107.40
 G. W. Kuhnny, grain 6.00
 W. F. Lewis, rent 12.06
 Chas. Laking, harness repairing 3.45
 Alex. Little, care police 11.00
 Lyman Brook, milk 25.75
 W. F. Madden, transport office 8.25
 Man. Trust Co., checkbook, 22.50
 H. H. Moriarty, 42.00
 Dr. D. C. Y. Moore, six months salary board of health 250.00
 M. J. Moriarty, rent 18.00
 Morris & Co., meat 16.80
 Morton & Dwyer, groceries 6.60
 Morton & Co., binding 3.00
 J. H. Quinn, candles 10.78
 H. G. Rich, insurance 34.86
 J. A. Roberts, board 14.00
 A. A. Holton, grain 4.35
 Casper's Sausage, gravel 13.25
 St. Mary's Home 40.00
 R. J. Smith, insurance 19.12
 R. W. Smith, stenographic reports of town meeting 33.00
 Mrs. Martin Sobush, board 18.29
 G. W. Sprant, food 40.80
 State of Conn., Middletown hospital 731.14
 State of Conn., Hospital, Norwich 157.00
 State of Conn., repairs to wheelbarrow 10.74
 The Entertainment Board, 48.29
 F. T. Blinn, rent 18.40

Looking Backward
Twenty-Five Years
 To Happenings Then
 Recorded in the News

Snow fell here April 20th.
 King David Lodge of Odd Fellows bought a silk banner to be used in the parade at "Fairview".
 The Golden Cross met at the residence of William Davidson on Laurel street.
 Miss Olive Belcher gave up her clerkship at Chesney's store.
 Thomas Forsyth and family of Walnut street left town.
 Richard M. Morley of New York was visiting his sister Mrs. W. H. Cheney.
 Watkins Brothers and Grant Brothers had awnings placed over their show windows.
 M. W. Ferris, head of the firm of Ferris Brothers had two bow windows added to the upper story of his residence on Oak street.
 The Rt. Rev. Bishop Williams of Middletown administered confirmation at St. Mary's Episcopal church.
 The South Methodist church adopted the new seal plan, sufficient money having been pledged for that purpose.
 Burt Tuller, assistant to Electrician L. N. Heebner removed to New Haven.
 Miss Annie Steye, resigned as organist at the German Lutheran church, and was succeeded by Miss Annie Behnfeld.
 Joseph Carter of New Street was married to Mrs. H. O'Neill of Stratford.
 W. R. and Mrs. Cheney and Harry R. Cheney attended the wedding of Miss Spring in New York. Miss Spring was the sister of Mrs. W. B. Cheney.
 Mark Cheney returned from a stay of ten weeks in Florida.
 Electric wires were being placed in the stores on Main street, South Manchester, by Electrician L. N. Heebner.
 Rev. J. M. Taber was returned as pastor of the South Methodist church for another year, by the Southern New England Conference.
 Walcott W. Tracy, father of Carlos W. Tracy, clerk at Chesney store died in Ellington.
 A new law passed by the state legislature prohibited the selling of pools. As a result all horse racing and bicycle contests planned to be held at Charter Oak Park were deferred.
 William J. Tyson 21 years old, son of William Tyson of Pearl street died of diphtheria.
 E. E. Marshall of Rockville bought Weir Brothers' meat market on Charter Oak street near Main.
 Four hundred lilies in bloom were brought from Bermuda and used as Easter decorations at the South Methodist church.
 Alonzo Downs, age 96 years, died at the home of his son, Byron C. Downs of Main street.
 The death of Rosanna M. Parsons, 63 years old, widow of J. H. Parsons was announced.
 The Sons of Temperance gave a musical and literary entertainment at the Cheney Hall. It was open to the public.
 Rehearsals for a minstrel entertainment at Cheney Hall by members of Company G were in progress.
 Rev. D. A. Hasegarty, pastor of St. James church, was preparing a confirmation class. Rt. Rev. Bishop McMahon was to administer the rite.
 Rev. John McVay was transferred from the North Methodist church to the East Hartford and Barnside Methodist churches, being placed in charge of both. He served three years at the North End.
 A Gospel Temperance League was organized at Cheney Hall as a sequel to the famous Murphy Temperance campaign. The following officers were chosen: President, Frank Cheney Jr.; vice-presidents, M. S. Chapman, L. Z. Collins; George Davidson, Charles H. Bloom, F. H. Dougherty, Aaron Johnson, secretary, William Hand; treasurer, C. L. Bielle; executive committee, C. G. Watkins, C. E. Howe, Charles Cheney, G. W. Ferris, E. L. G. Holenthal and pastors of the local churches.
 Myrtle Hale, eight years old, only daughter of J. W. and Mrs. Hale, died suddenly of heart and brain trouble.
 John T. Ringrose and Miss Lucy M. Rice were married by Rev. E. H. Coley, pastor of St. Mary's Episcopal church. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, William F. and Mrs. Rice of Locust street.
 The Rev. Mr. Finnegan returned from a visit to Ireland. He was then employed in Case Brothers' Highland Park paper mill.
 Urgent calls were being made for the installation of electric street lights along Charter Oak, Highland and

Willis streets to Case Brothers' paper mill at Highland Park.
 Professor Prutting gave a closing reception to his dancing classes at Chesney Hall.
 Gleason Brothers put their second team on the road distributing fruits and vegetables to the trade. Fred C. Wells was the salesman. Their store was located on Charter Oak street. (The firm of Gleason Brothers then consisted of William E. Gleason, now Janitor of the Ninth District Schools, and David A. Gleason, who subsequently studied medicine at the Baltimore Medical College and is now a practicing physician at North Bennington, Vt.—Ed. News.)

SKILLED WORKMEN
FOR U. S. ARMY
URGENT CALL SENT OUT THROUGH STATE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE.

State of Connecticut Called Upon By Government for Volunteers. Telegram Explaining Situation Given Herewith. Young Men Who Are Qualified Should Respond.

Hartford, April 11.—Assistance in the transcription and transmission of occupational cards for the exemption boards having charge of the selective draft in Connecticut is vitally needed and needed at once. Volunteers are called for in every exemption district in the state to go to their draft boards and offer their services for this work.
 Provost Marshal General E. F. Crowder through the Council of National Defense has appealed to the Connecticut State Council of Defense for this assistance. "Until transcription of occupational cards is completed the United States Army must wait for vitally needed skilled workmen. This is a National Emergency," says a telegram received by the Connecticut State Council of Defense.
 The following appeal to men and women of Connecticut was issued today by the State Defense Council.
 "Connecticut is called upon by the Federal Government to complete without delay the transcription of the occupational cards in the hands of the exemption boards which administer the selective service law. This council is informed from Washington that until this work is completed the United States Army must wait for skilled workmen which it vitally needs. Volunteers must do this work. Governor Motters' Holcomb and this Council feel certain that there will be no lack of patriotic response to this call. There are forty-four local exemption boards in the State of Connecticut. Every person living in a town or city where the headquarters of an exemption board is located, and who can spare time for this work, is called upon to get into communication with the exemption board and offer to help in this crisis. Connecticut must not fail in this supreme task of supplying promptly special skilled workmen which the Government vitally needs."

Building & Loan
 The annual meeting of the Building & Loan Association took place at the store of C. E. Howe & Son, Inc., and choice was made of the following officers for the year next ensuing:
 President, Frank Cheney Jr.; vice-president, John D. Henderson; treasurer, Herbert B. Howe; secretary, C. E. Howe; directors, Alfred W. Hyde, J. T. Robertson, Albert W. Hollister and Arthur J. Straw, one year; George W. Kuhnny, Jasper A. Fitch, Albert J. Greer and E. T. Blinn, two years; J. W. Hale, E. A. Lydall, Albert F. Bidwell and E. L. G. Holenthal three years.
 The association has had a prosperous year and furnishes safe and satisfying opportunities for investment. Many thrifty persons here are availing themselves of the privileges presented. The affairs of the association are conducted along conservative lines and expenses are kept down to the minimum. There are many persons who have much reason to be thankful for the fact that South Manchester has furnished for many years such a substantial institution for investment. Dividends are declared annually, and besides substantial additions are made to the surplus. One who owns shares of stock in the local building and loan association need have no fears of the safety of the institution.

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BROWN THOMSON & Co.
 Hartford Shopping Center

A Dress Sale Without Parallel
Choice of Newest Smart Models
For Women's and Misses Wear
\$15.00

WE WERE LUCKY IN SECURING A WONDERFUL ASSORTMENT OF PRETTY SPRING DRESSES THAT FOR QUALITY HAVE NEVER BEEN MATCHED AT THIS LOW PRICE.

There are Dresses of serge, silk foulards, crepe meteor, crepe de chine, georgette, colored taffetas and satins.
 The pretty styles, quality of materials, good workmanship and tasteful trimmings suggest garments of much higher grade than the price would mean. Not a dress would sell for less than \$22.50, plenty are regular \$25.00 grade, while some would bring \$27.50 and \$29.50. Your choice while lot lasts FOR ONLY \$15.00 each.

The colorings include French blue, navy, gray, taupe, rookite, rose, navy and black. The styles give pick of embroidered frocks, tulle models, side draped effects, with colored stitchings, wide sashes, deep silk girdles, gyzer collars, also beaded and vase models. Sizes for the miss of 16 on and up to women's 44 bust measure, at \$15.00 each.

New Japanese Nappery
 We have been fortunate in securing another lot of the beautiful and inexpensive blue and white Japanese Cloths and Napkins, giving chance for thrifty housewives to supply themselves for summer use at these low prices. Patterns are chrysanthemums, bamboo, cherry blossoms, birds and butterflies.
 JAPANESE CLOTHS, 48x18 inches, \$1.00 each. 60x90 inches for \$1.50 each, 72x72 inches for \$2.25 each.
 JAPANESE SCARFS, 12x15 inches for 25c each, 12x17 inches 25c each, 17 1/2 inches 50c each.
 JAPANESE NAPKINS size 12x12 inches, 75c doz., 8x12 inches, \$1.50 dozen.
 JAPANESE PILLOW COVERS, 18x22 inch, 37 1/2c.
 JAPANESE TOWELING for making table runners, over drapes, couch covers, in fact, for lots of home uses, 12 inch, 12 to 13 1/2 yd., 18 inch for 15c yd., 27 inch for 20c yd.

Get Your Order In
 Liberty Bonds are all sold at banks. Don't let another day go by without proving that you are with the forces that are fighting for the preservation of liberty.

Buy Paint Here
 We sell the best paints and varnishes. When we sell paints and varnishes we give you the selection of our years of knowledge as to its proper application.
 Peter A. Baldwin
 73 S. Main St. Phone 273-4

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WANT ADS.
 WANTED
 REPAIR—You to know that we set, repair and seal windows. Any size cut to order. Putty, paints, etc. Manchester Wall Paper Co., 533 Main Street, 2nd Floor.

FOR SALE
 FOR SALE—Very Fine Sewing Machine also some very fine used machines from \$5 up. Halls Furniture Exchange, 24 Birch Street.

Town Advertisement
 NOTICE OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

Town Advertisement
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TEAS AND COFFEES
 If You Want To Save Money Trade At The Universal Tea Store
 J. H. Williams, Prop.
 25c Coffee.....27c
 37c Coffee.....23c
 House & Hale Building Fourth Manchester

Town Advertisement
 PUBLIC MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Town Advertisement
 Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Manchester in the office of the town clerk, Monday, April 15, 1918, at 8 o'clock p. m. at the Hall of Records.

HEAVY DAMAGES CLAIMED COURT DIDN'T ALLOW
 W. S. Mowry sued Selectman James H. Johnson for \$10,000 for breach of agreement. The judge of the superior court at Bridgeport awarded Mr. Mowry \$1,000 for damages and \$1,000 for costs. Mowry tried to prevent Selectman Johnson from conducting a restaurant in South Manchester, but the court ruled that when he bought the Main street restaurant from Mr. Johnson the latter agreed to enter into no business over a period of ten years. As Mowry subsequently sold out and left town the demand for damages didn't appear to the Bridgeport judge.

Break That Chain
 Hartford, April 11. An emphatic stamp of disapproval has been placed by the selectmen of this town on the numerous chain plans for the sale of war savings and thrift stamps which are constantly appearing in different sections of the state. The following officers were chosen to buy stamps under these conditions, and to do all within their power to prevent their spread.
 It was at the office of the state director today that practically all of these chain schemes were originating in New York City, and that it was agreed to refrain from buying such stamps to be used either in chain schemes or for advertising purposes.

America Is At War With The Most Merciless and Unhuman Nation In The World. There Are Thousands Of Germans In This Country Who Want To See America Humiliated And Beaten To Her Knees. And They Are Doing And Will Do Everything In Their Power To Bring This About.

Take Nothing For Granted. Energy And Alertness In This Direction May Save The Life Of Your Son, Your Husband, Or Your Brother. You Can Serve Your Country By Making Yourself A Vigilance Committee Of One.

USE NO BEEF, PORK OR SHEEP PRODUCTS.
 Highest in the World. A man can sometimes learn a great deal by studying the disposition of women—but the tuition comes high—Exchange.

AMERICAN RED CROSS CALLS FOR MEN

ONE HUNDRED NEEDED FOR AMBULANCE SERVICE BEHIND ITALIAN LINES.

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EARL HOLLISTER JOINS ENGINEERS
 Hudson W. Hollister, who went with the last selectmen from Rockville to Camp Devens writes to a friend here that he has been transferred to the 55th Engineers Corps at Camp Custer, Mich. Hollister was more than likely known here as "Earl." He was employed by the 55th Engineers Corps at Camp Custer, Mich. Hollister was more than likely known here as "Earl." He was employed by the 55th Engineers Corps at Camp Custer, Mich. Hollister was more than likely known here as "Earl." He was employed by the 55th Engineers Corps at Camp Custer, Mich.

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THINGS TO LEARN ABOUT LIBERTY BONDS

NECESSARY INFORMATION CONCERNING SAME FROM U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Denominations Starting at Fifty Dollars With Blue Sky Limit Redeemable in 10 Years. Bear 4 1/4 per cent. Interest. 100 Paid For.

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ALL HELL CHEERS THE KAISER
 and his finchish work in Belgium, France, Italy and Russia.
 As a Blueblooded American will you tolerate his bloody actions?
 THIS SNAKE IN THE GRASS—THIS BLOOD THIRSTY FIEND!
 He Would Rather Bathe In Human Blood Than Water.

The Kaiser
 "The beast of Berlin"

Whip The Kaiser and His Lust-Mad Millions
 Now or Forever Feel the Heel of His Boot on Your Neck. Then you will not only do your bit—but you will do your dern-dest.

Let Your American Blood Boil With Anger
 By Seeing This Photodrama at the

Circle Theater
MON., TUES., WED., APRIL 15-16-17
PRICES: Matinee 15c 25c Evening 125c and 50c
 Plus War Tax
 Matinee at 2.30 Evening at 7.45

Surprise Party
 A surprise party was given Miss Edith Horn at her home on Maple street last evening. The affair was a most successful one and a most enjoyable program, was rendered. Games, dancing and refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Grace Goodale, in behalf of the assembled guests, presented Miss Horn with a gold mounted parrot ring. Miss Anna Parson and Miss Annie Laggett played a piano duet. Miss Helen Socky and Miss Isabella White, selections by Miss Isabella White. Miss Marjory Wood and Miss Cora Wood, and fancy dancing by George Clark and Miss Gertrude Curran.

Studying Gymnastics
 Miss Marion Taylor, Miss Elizabeth Wilson and Miss Marion Tinker, all of South Manchester, attended a physical culture convention in Philadelphia Wednesday. These young women are students at the Arnold School of Gymnastics in New Haven. The convention is to close its sessions this afternoon. The school will reopen next Tuesday after the Easter recess.

Rubber Planting in Sumatra.
 There are signs of increasing American investments in Batavia. One is a rubber-planting concern in Sumatra, where 50,000 acres have been acquired.

ON MEATLESS DAYS
 USE NO BEEF, PORK OR SHEEP PRODUCTS.

A Lone Tree.
 On Dink Island, in one of the lakes of Killarney, Ireland, is a pine tree which has the reputation of being the only tree of its kind in Ireland.

THE HONOR ROLL AND HONOR FLAG

Form the Chief Prizes of the Third Liberty Loan

WHICH TOWN IN THE COUNTRY WILL FIRST TAKE ITS QUOTA?



Worth Fighting For

SHALL this little girl grow up in an American home, healthy and happy? Shall she have the advantage of living and learning in a free land, under free institutions? Shall such children develop into the Liberty-loving citizens that a free America may be proud of? For over two hundred years Americans have fought valiantly, and died gallantly, to win for themselves and hand down to their posterity the blessings of liberty, justice, self-government and equal opportunity. This precious heritage, bought at so great a price, is now in danger.

The question which to-day confronts America as a nation, and you as an individual, is whether or not a free America is worth fighting for

Are American children in this and all future generations to receive unimpaired the legacy of freedom of which we are now the custodians, or shall their country be turned over bodily to the brutal, rapacious, power-mad enemy which has forced us into this war? This question cannot be answered by word of mouth, but by deeds alone.

Let Your Answer Be Your Investment in Liberty Bonds!

This advertisement is contributed through the patriotic cooperation of Bengston & Cole Liberty Loan Committee of New England

This home-like, appetizing quality of the LUCKY STRIKE cigarette is largely due to the fact that the tobacco used in making it has been... "It's toasted" is the "signature" of the LUCKY STRIKE cigarette. It is made in a special factory in North Carolina. No other American tobacco is made in this way.

A good part of this immense production in making its way across the ocean to cheer our boys...

The adoption of the Honor Roll and the Honor Flag for communities in the Third Liberty Loan campaign promises to add an element of competition in service throughout the whole country to the million Liberty Bonds, which was seen in neither of the earlier loans.

On the First Loan Cedarhurst took \$175,000 worth of Liberty Bonds through 250 subscribers; on the Second, \$490 subscribers took \$1,200,000 worth of Liberty Bonds through 250 subscribers.

All that the Liberty Loan Committee did was to make public day by day, acknowledgment, not of money subscriptions but of the list of those who had answered the call of the nation, and by giving this list the honor that was, persuaded others to secure a place.

The Honor Roll idea has been added for the whole country for the Third Liberty Loan the Service Honor Roll. Those who know their debt to the nation by aiding with their money will receive widest public recognition for their act.

Those who enlist money in the Government service will have a symbol to display in the form of the Honor Flag. This is like a Service Flag in design and in spirit. It is rectangular, with a broad red border surrounding a white field, the field bearing three vertical blue bars, marking the Third Liberty Loan.

Whether it is one \$50 bond or 50 bonds of any size, the record of it will be given on the public Honor Roll. The name of the subscriber bears this distinction.

THESE ARE THE PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN WHO ARE HELPING TO WIN THE WAR BY INVESTING IN GOVERNMENT BONDS OF THE THIRD LIBERTY LOAN.

Plant a War Garden, Help Win the War.

HELPING to increase our export food stocks, war gardens will be planned this year in greater numbers than ever before. Each American family that has a garden plot has a garden that can become more nearly self-sustaining by making use of it.

United States Department of Agriculture and State Agricultural Colleges have printed leaflets of instructions for gardeners which will be sent upon request without charge. It is only through the cooperation of these experts were able to know definitely how great was the aid of 1917 war gardens. In many sections the potatoes and other vegetables raised enabled the people to escape a threatened famine.

THE GREAT WAR HAS MADE CIGARETTES A NECESSITY. "Our boys must have their smokes. Send them cigarettes!" This is a familiar appeal now to all of us. Among those most in demand is the now famous "toasted" cigarette—LUCKY STRIKE. Thousands of these favorite brand have been shipped to France. There is something home-like and friendly to the boys in the sight of the familiar green packages with the red circle.

REAL ESTATE AND ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE STEAMSHIP TICKETS Special Trips to WASHINGTON and BERMUDA. R. J. SMITH Bank Building, So. Manchester

Waverly Bldg Suite 4 Telephone Dr. C. A. Humphreys DENTIST 721 Main St. Hartford Conn.

WALL PAPERS PAINTS AND SUPPLIES PAINTING AND DECORATING Will Be Glad to Estimate On Your Work. Best of Materials—First Class Workmanship.

J. F. TYNAN 37 PEARL ST. Phone 540 South Manchester LAUNDRIES

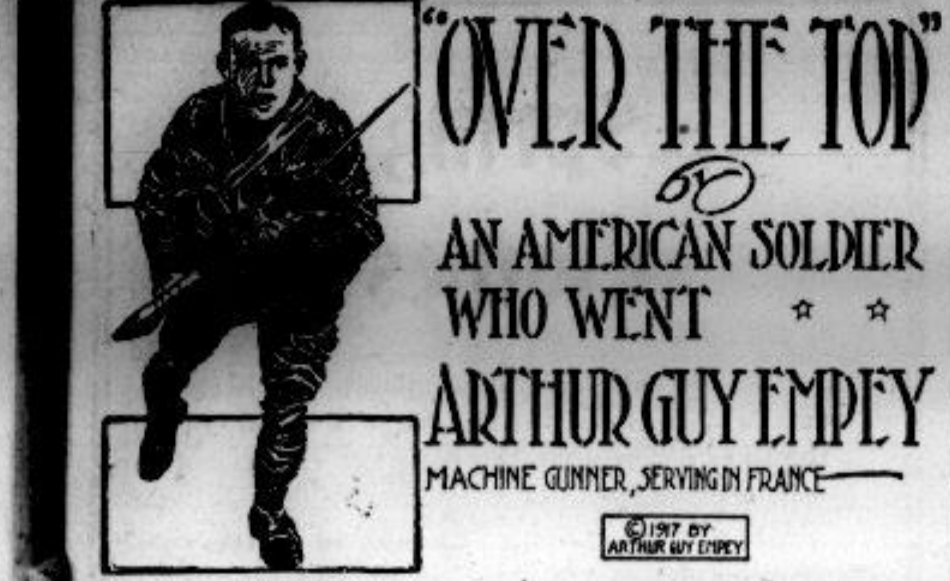
IT'S RESULTS THAT COUNT IT PAYS TO PLEASE New Model Laundry Co. Our specialty Shirts, Collars and Cuffs and Suits Washed and Ironed

Hotels Orford Hotel Board or Rooms Excellent Table Reasonable Rates Wm Walsh, Prop.

Attention Tobacco Growers Copy of Section No. 4 contained in circular mailed to tobacco growers by the State Council of Defense.

This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.

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OVER THE TOP AN AMERICAN SOLDIER WHO WENT ARTHUR GUY EMPY MACHINE GUNNER, SERVING IN FRANCE

CHAPTER I—Fired by the news of the landing of the Liberty Loan, an American soldier, Arthur Guy Empey, an American machine gunner, was sent to the front in France. He was a young man, a native of South Manchester, and he was a member of the 101st Infantry.

CHAPTER II—As soon as it was dark, Wheeler and I crawled to our post which was about halfway between the lines. It was raining bucketfuls, the ground was a sea of sticky mud and clung to us like glue.

CHAPTER III—Empey attends his first church service at the front while a German machine gunner looks on. CHAPTER IV—Empey's command goes into the front-line trenches and is under fire for the first time.

CHAPTER V—Empey learns to shoot. CHAPTER VI—Empey learns to dig. CHAPTER VII—Empey learns to crawl. CHAPTER VIII—Empey learns to fight.

CHAPTER IX—Empey makes his first visit to a dugout in "Bunker City." CHAPTER X—Empey learns what constitutes a "day's work" in the front-line trench.

CHAPTER XI—Empey goes "over the top" for the first time in a charge on the German trenches and is wounded by a machine gun.

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\$1.50 YEAR

THREE CENTS COPY

PERUNA Best All Around Medicine Ever Made

I Hope You Will Publish This Letter... Those who object to liquid medicine can procure Peruna Tablets.

The Fairest Flower That Grows

IF WE alone possessed it we could sell it for twice the billions expended in this world war. It grows in this country. Its roots run so wide and deep that they interlace upon the very bedrock of our nation.

The Fairest Flower That Grows is "LIBERTY" Guard it well! Our sons have fared forth with earnest faces set firm in the high resolve that it shall not perish.

Don't criticize—energize! Don't delay—buy today—at any bank This advertisement is contributed through the patriotic cooperation of Raymond Bros., Liberty Loan Committee of New England

Local Paragraphs

INTERESTING ITEMS BOILED DOWN FOR BUSY READERS

Miss May Shaw of Hackensack street has resumed her studies at Smith College. She left here last Wednesday.

Max Meigs of Park street gave a talk on the Third Liberty Loan at Sharon last Tuesday evening. He is taking a special course in the Field Ordnance Department at Columbia University.

Mrs. Emma Dowd, Miss Marjory Dowd, Mrs. Edith Hove, Miss Helen Hove and Fred Paisley of all of South Manchester, attended the silver wedding of their aunt and uncle, Seth and Mrs. Schofield of Stafford Springs last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. Frank Maguire of New York City is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Sophie K. Yergens of Hissell street. She is accompanied by her son, Joseph, and her daughter, Wilma. They intend to stay in South Manchester for a month.

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Obituary

MRS. RACHEL HARRISON Mrs. Rachel Harrison, wife of James Harrison of Foster street died at her home last Monday. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon, services being conducted at the residence by Rev. W. H. Bath of the South Methodist church.

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REMARKABLE PICTURE AT CIRCLE THEATER

'THE KAISER, THE BEAST OF BERLIN' TO BE SHOWN NEXT WEEK.

Most Realistic Photodrama Re-production of Present War. Rouses Ire of Audiences Wherever Presented. Serves as Wonderful Stimulant to Entailment.

Just what this whole country needs to wake up to the realization that we have a real war on our hands, is the way one prominent man aptly put it after witnessing that photodrama.

Then a visit to our mens clothing department will reveal the possibilities of clothing tailored to suit exacting tastes, at prices surprisingly reasonable.

Present this ad and your carfare will be allowed FULL SET \$5.00 NO PAIN

My 80 Sets are life like and the finest fitting plates that dental science can produce. Unless you require a special plate \$5.00 in all you need to pay in this office for the best set of teeth.

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Spring Clothes

If you are fastidious about the little details of your clothes, the shape of the lapel, the lines of the coat, the hang of the trousers, etc.—

If you have found difficulty in getting ready-to-put-on clothing to fit the way it should—

If you want hand tailored clothes, that will fit and look as smart after long service as when new—

Then a visit to our mens clothing department will reveal the possibilities of clothing tailored to suit exacting tastes, at prices surprisingly reasonable.

\$15.00 to \$27.50

George W. Smith 'STYLE HEADQUARTERS'—Where Society Brand Clothes Are Sold

Present this ad and your carfare will be allowed FULL SET \$5.00 NO PAIN

Advertisement for dental services featuring a portrait of Dr. T. J. King and text describing his work.

Limestone Continues in Favor. Inverted limestone continues to be favored as a soil sweetener or fertilizer according to the United States geological survey.

Republican Caucus. The republican electors of the town of Manchester are requested to meet in caucus at the town hall, Thursday evening, April 18, 1918, at eight o'clock.

Be Careful—keep the stomach well, the liver and bowels regular, by the timely and helpful aid of BEEHIVAM'S PILLS

Prehistoric Man Found. The remains of a prehistoric man have been found near Mexico City buried under three meters of volcanic lava.

Many Soldiers Here. A large number of our soldier boys visited their homes here for the week-end and were cordially greeted by their many friends.

Advertisement for Watkins Brothers Inc. featuring an illustration of a dining room and text promoting furniture and Liberty Bonds.

Advertisement for Liberty Loan Sales, showing the total amount of \$549,250 and \$194,800, with a call to buy Liberty Bonds.

Advertisement for an April Hurry Sale, offering savings on various goods and services.

Advertisement for Egan Bros. Dry Goods, featuring a list of items and their prices.

Advertisement for Crawford Ranges, highlighting the quality and variety of their products.

Advertisement for Beehive Milk, detailing the process and quality of their milk production.

Advertisement for the Americanization of Foreign Born Women, listing names of participants and organizers.

Advertisement for the President Wilson Names Liberty Day, detailing the significance of the event.

Advertisement for Neolin Soles, promoting their quality and durability.

Advertisement for Geo. W. Smith, featuring a list of services and products.

Advertisement for Eye Sight Testing, highlighting the expertise of Walter Oliver.

Advertisement for a Class Initiation for Moose, detailing the requirements and benefits.

Advertisement for Rubenow's Specialty Shop, featuring a list of clothing items and their prices.

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