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WANTED.

When you want anything, advertise in the new special column of this paper.

If Villa has as many lives as the traditional feline, he will make Uncle Sam and Carranza no end of trouble.

Indiana has two United States senatorial contests this year. If the Hoosier State has two contests such as Vermont's promises to be, its people will need to lay in a good stock of high pressure thermometers.

John Wanamaker, the great merchant, is reported to be the choice of Mr. Hughes for the treasuryship of the republican national committee.

The announcement of the candidacies of Hon. Carroll S. Pace and Hon. Allen M. Fletcher for the United States Senate, bids fair to be followed by a similar declaration by Governor Charles W. Gates.

If we are to have peace with Mexico and the United States is to vote money for the militia beside sending men home who have families dependent upon them, why put Vermont to the expense of an extra session of the Legislature?

The arrival of a submarine vessel of commerce in Baltimore from Germany Sunday, announced in our news columns this morning, ushers in a new epoch in sea transportation.

From the purely academic point of view the advent of this craft from Germany, affords an interesting subject of study.

The possibilities of carrying on commerce by submarines in time of war are almost staggering.

The moment a vessel of a belligerent power passes inside of the three-mile limit of any friendly or neutral nation's coast, it is safe from capture under the rules of international law.

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GIVE THE VERMONT BOY AND VERMONT GIRL FAIR PLAY

Some far-sighted authority has said, the way to bring up a boy right is to begin with his grandfather.

We fathers and mothers, "of whom we are which" are forever and anon talking about the glories of the far country with our fingers and pockets while doing lip-service to Vermont.

We are keeping silent though about the young men and the young women of the graduating class of the State university who this year made a compact to stay in our little State and help to make it a greater Vermont.

How are we fathers and mothers going to encourage this movement? How are we to help keep in Vermont not only college graduates but also the sterling young men and young women who for various reasons can take only a university extension course on the farm and never see the inside of a college.

The very first thing is to show on our own part a more thorough appreciation of Vermont and of her grand opportunities for success.

The chief fundamental difficulty with Vermont is the lack of appreciation we show when we say in effect, "Vermont is a good State in which to make money, but a poor State in which to spend and invest it."

Millions upon millions of Vermont "fatted calves" in the shape of loans have been sent into the far country to help build up other States.

That same money spent in fertilizing and draining and improving our farms would have made Vermont a garden, and our farms to-day would be producing two-fold and three-fold their present output and income.

While we have been offering premiums for Vermont's prodigal sons in other States, what have we been doing for the boys and girls at home?

In short we are often disloyal to Vermont in our thoughts and sentiments as individuals.

Let us begin at the very foundation, fathers and mothers, and get ourselves into the right attitude of mind and sentiment toward Vermont.

We not only have the greatest granite and marble and slate industries in the world, and two of the leading scale manufacturing in the world and other big things, but we also lead the nation in our dairy interests and in various other directions.

After we have substituted good Vermont optimism for pessimism at home and for glorification of the far country, let us insist in our legislation also on loyalty to Vermont.

Encourage the boys and girls to stay in Vermont. Do not simply talk and then forget it.

Encourage Mary to have a little flower garden near the house, and invest a few of the dollars you thought to loan out West or South in some pictures and music.

Make your Vermont home a real home, the place where you and yours delight to stay, whether it is in the city or the more beautiful country.

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A submarine merchant fleet in time of war ever becomes possible, then Britain above all other nations will have cause for rejoicing.

Julius Verne would have delighted to let his imagination play about the feat of this under-sea-boat of commerce, of which his fictional craft was the legitimate predecessor.

The esteemed St. Albans Messenger prints the following deserved tribute to the graduating class of the State university.

Members of the senior class of the University of Vermont are reported to have had their lives insured in 25-year endowment policies in favor of the university which will thus receive \$15,000 in 1941.

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BURLINGTON SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS INCORPORATED 1847 SURPLUS \$ 3,710.12... January 1, 1850... \$ 56.84

Business can be transacted by mail as well as in person. Deposits received from \$1.00 to \$3,000. Deposits made on or before July 10th draw interest from July 1st.

WRITE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION. C. P. Smith, President. F. W. Perry, Vice-President.

This bank is striving to make its service always a little bit better than that of any other bank in the community. THE BURLINGTON TRUST CO. City Hall Square—North Resources over \$4,000,000

Money To Loan on Vermont Farms We shall be pleased to have you write us for particulars. Deposits \$2,374,878.96 Surplus 241,512.86 Assets 2,628,088.79

WINOOSKI SAVINGS BANK Organized 47 years. No. 11 Winooski Block. Winooski, Vt. Deposits made on or before August 5th draw interest from August 1st.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE PLEASSED to see their money increasing at interest. Are you saving your spare cash and building a reserve fund to your credit at the bank? Your account is invited.

4% Interest Paid HOME SAVINGS BANK, Burlington, Vermont

BRADSTREET'S VERMONT WEEKLY TRADE REPORT. Bradstreet's Burlington office reports for the week just closed that manufacturers of garments, woollens, knit goods, hosiery and white goods are as of one unit regarding a better than normal business for this time of the year.

Examining the reports from the State of Vermont customs district for the month just closed that there was an increase in imports of 49 per cent, and an increase of exports of 105 per cent, compared with reports for June, 1915.

The week was free from mercantile failures in this State.

THE ADVANTAGES OF EDUCATION. Brought up upon a farm, I knew the animals and birds.

ADDING INSULT TO INJURY. Handled by undaunted, the actors in the touring "drammer" were doing their best, but their efforts were spoiled by the rude comments of a small boy.

THRIFT This Bank is anxious for people to practice thrift and give encouragement to young people to save money during early life.

CHITTENDEN COUNTY TRUST CO. BURLINGTON, VT.

LETTERS FROM THE FRONT.

Chaplain Thomas and Private Copeland Write of Camp Life.

Chaplain John M. Thomas of the 1st Infantry, Vermont National Guard writes the Free Press from Eagle Pass, Texas, under date of July 4 as follows:

Copies of the Free Press of June 29 reached camp this morning. I had to allot only a few minutes to a company as they would not have been gone in the first street.

The first has begun actual war service, being the first national guard regiment of the division at Eagle Pass to take part in the war work.

There is no one in the hospital and the medical staff is giving its entire time to sanitary arrangements.

It was good news that Companies C and M and the hospital corps are to have shielded goggles from generous friends at home.

Private Abraham Copeland of Company C writes under date of July 3: At last we are planted on the baked hot soil of southern Texas.

A CALL TO SERVICE. The people of Burlington will recall the service of the Young Men's Christian association in connection with the military camp for students held in this city on the Williston road.

HUERTA VS. CARRANZA. Europe has a saying about kings "wading through revolution to a throne".

CAMP NO BED OF ROSES. Shower Baths Chief Luxury of Boys at the Front.

What it seems like to be in the shoes of a "U. V." man at the front is shown in the following letter which came to President Guy Potter Benton of the university lately:

Your letter containing kind and patriotic words was truly a welcome inspiration to your boys, as well as to many other loyal Vermont men.

As you see, I am connected with the hospital corps, which is made up principally of junior medicals.

We find the Texas sand plains much different from the green hills of old Vermont.

Each day we are thankful to receive the Burlington Free Press in good quantities.

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