

Great Bargains on our tables of Left Overs

from our big July Clean-Up Sale which we wish to close at greatly reduced prices. Short lengths and odd pieces go into this sale. Watch for the Big Remnant Sale starts this week.

The Homer Fitts Co.

Suit at cut price

WILLIAMSTOWN.

William L. Hays Engaged as Principal of High School.

The school directors have engaged a principal for the high school to succeed Harry S. Morse of Brandon, who has succeeded elsewhere. The new principal is William L. Hays, Ph. B., a graduate of Dickinson college in the class of 1912, and who has been for the past year teaching in the town of Fairfax, where he has done excellent work.

A young fawn, which had in some way lost its mother, was a welcome visitor in and around the village last Saturday. It was seen in the forenoon on the meadow back of the trotting course, where it allowed George Colby's haymakers to come within a few feet of it. Later in the day it was seen near George Earle's house, showing little fear of passersby.

William O. Martin and family, who moved from this town to Richmond within the year, were the guests of Mrs. Ada Lazell over the week-end.

Richard Martin has returned from a week's stay with his uncle, Thad. Martin, of Barre.

Fred D. Alger, who has been in the employ of Norman J. Pratt for the last two years, has finished work there and his place will be filled for the present by L. Marshall Jackson.

H. H. Martin was taken sick Friday and the case turned out to be appendicitis in a dangerous form. He was taken to the City hospital, Barre, in the ambulance Saturday and an operation was performed that day. At last accounts he was in comfortable condition as could be expected.

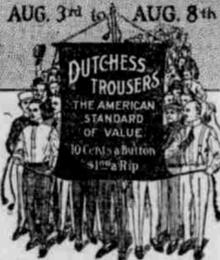
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wilfore have gone on a carriage drive to St. Johnsbury to visit their son, Clinton R. Wilfore.

There is to be a social dance at grange hall Saturday evening, Aug. 8. Everybody invited.

Harley T. Martin went to Burlington Saturday and returned Sunday night, bringing favorable reports of the condition of his wife, now at Fanny Allen hospital.

GET IN LINE for DUTCHESS TROUSERS WEEK

AUG. 3rd to AUG. 8th



This is the week we shall demonstrate to you the good qualities of

Dutchess Trousers

We think we can show you the advantage of buying the Dutchess. After 30 years experience with this line, we are satisfied they are a little better than the other kind.

The Frank McWhorter Company

NUTBROWN—MOIR.

Marriage of Westerville People Took Place Saturday Evening.

At the home of Andrew Thompson, in Westerville, Edward Nutbrown and Alice Moir, daughter of Mrs. Alex. Moir, were united in marriage at 6 o'clock Saturday evening, Rev. F. McNeil officiating. They were attended by Irene Nutbrown and Frank Fitzmaurice.

The bride was becomingly gowned in white messaline and shadow lace and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. Immediately after the ceremony a dainty supper was served by Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Bell, aunt and cousin of the bride. Dancing and singing was much enjoyed until a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Nutbrown were the recipients of many useful presents and good wishes for long life and happiness.

POULEN—CARPENTER.

Groton Young Woman Bride of Plainfield Man in Barre.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at St. Monica's church this morning when Miss Gladys V. Carpenter of Groton was united in marriage to Samuel E. Poulen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Poulen of Plainfield. The wedding took place at 8 o'clock, Rev. P. M. McKenna officiating at the nuptial mass. The wedding was attended by only relatives and intimate friends of the couple. The bride was attended by Miss Dora Poulen, a sister of the groom. Raymond E. Poulen, J. brother of the groom, acted as best man.

The bride's gown was white shadow lace over white silk. She wore a bridal veil. Her traveling suit was of Copenhagen blue with hat to match. The bridesmaid was gowned in blue silk trimmed with pearls. Immediately after the ceremony the newly-married couple left by automobile for the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Poulen in Plainfield, where a nuptial breakfast was served.

The bride is very popular in Groton and since coming to Barre has gained a large circle of acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Poulen were the recipients of many presents from their friends, including cut glass, silverware, hand-painted china, linens, etc. After a two weeks' trip through the White mountains, Mr. and Mrs. Poulen will reside at the home of Mr. Poulen's parents in Plainfield.

BETHEL.

Six Grandsons Were Bearers at Merrill Owen's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Merrill Owen was attended yesterday by a large number of people, including the following from a distance: Mrs. George Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Gilman L. Rogers, G. M. Slack, Miss Lois Wood and Ellen Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Douglas, G. Norwich, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Rogers, Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Pinney, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pinney, Lebanon, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy H. Stearns, Burlington; F. G. Brewster, White River Junction. The bearers were six grandsons and A. Lee Cady was director. The surviving sister of Mr. Owen is Mrs. Elvira Morse, of Auburndale, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. March and daughter, Gladys, of Burke, N. Y., came Saturday to visit at W. J. Toland's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Maxfield of Hartford, Conn., came Saturday for a month's stay at E. S. Tewksbury's.

J. Wesley Collins has moved from Dr. O. V. Greene's house, lately sold to John Hinkley, into the lower part of the E. L. Bass residence.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bullard of Springfield, Mass., are guests at C. E. Noble's. Bethel baseball team lost at Randolph 9 to 8 in a rainfall which continued during half the game Saturday. Both pitchers were wild but effective, with a wet ball to handle. The game was won by a pinch hitter in the ninth inning on a terrific drive which brought in a man from second and would probably have been good for three bases if necessary, written from personal observation; Rev. J. G. Haigh of South Royalton will exhibit a series of colored views illustrating the paper, and Ernest Hewitt of South Royalton will recite the poem, "Elegy in a Country Churchyard," by Thomas Gray.

At an entertainment under Episcopal auspices, to be given Friday evening at Cushing hall, Mrs. John Hinkley will read a paper on Stoke Pogis churchyard, written from personal observation; Rev. J. G. Haigh of South Royalton will exhibit a series of colored views illustrating the paper, and Ernest Hewitt of South Royalton will recite the poem, "Elegy in a Country Churchyard," by Thomas Gray.

Regular meeting of Sub. court Barre, N. O. 3.317. L. O. F. will be held Tuesday, Aug. 4, in K. of C. hall at 7 p. m. Dance and refreshments after the meeting.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 1914.

The Weather

Generally fair to-night and Tuesday; moderate west winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Fancy linen sale at Knight's. Watch for Fitts' remnant sale.

Oxfords for half their value at Tilden Shoe Co.

Bargains in oxfords at the Tilden Shoe Co.'s sale.

See \$5.00 all wool Russian tunic skirt for \$3.98, at Vaughan's.

Read the Tilden Shoe Co.'s advertisement and visit the clean-up sale.

Dry chairwood for sale. Arthur S. Martin, 43 Park street. Telephone 158-4 or 53-W.

George R. Beyerle, piano tuner, will be in Barre next week. Send orders early to this office.

Almost over? What, the N. D. Phelps Co. fire and water sale? Be sure and come to-day. Biggest bargains we have had.

Miss F. Agnes Gooley of Boston arrived in the city this morning to pass the remainder of the month with relatives.

Banns of marriage were published for the second time at St. Monica's church yesterday between James Massie and Miss Francis Duprey.

Miss Lena Buzzi, who recently returned from a ten days' visit to Highgate Springs, resumed her duties at the Henry Knight store this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Griggs and Mr. and Mrs. George Linekin left this forenoon for Burlington to attend the convention of insurance underwriters being held there to-day.

Rev. A. Hugh McKenna, curate at St. Monica's church, returned to the city Saturday from Providence, R. I., where he has been passing a few days at his former home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robins and son and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robins left yesterday by automobile for a few weeks' visit in the state of Maine. They will visit at St. George and Tenant's Harbor.

The ladies of the Methodist church will serve ice cream on the lawn Wednesday evening, if the weather is pleasant. They hope to have the sale well patronized, as this is the first time they have served ice cream this season.

During the absence of Edward Felt of Montpelier, who is spending his annual vacation at the Felt camp on Niggerhead pond in Marshfield, J. C. Chamberlain of this city is acting as conductor in charge of the M. & W. R. suburban trains.

Miss Kate Oliver of Elmora street, who is taking a vacation from her duties in the Bau studio, and Miss Jessie McDonald of Park street, who is taking a vacation from the N. B. Ballard steamship agency, left this morning for Highgate Springs, where they will pass 10 days in camp.

Misses Edith and Nellie Shackford, who have been visiting as the guests of friends and relatives on Batchelder street for the past few days, returned to-day to their home at Salem, Mass.

The Misses Shackford came to Vermont immediately after the devastating fire at Salem several weeks ago, which wiped out their home, being first the guests of relatives at St. Johnsbury.

William McDonald, manager of the World Granite company at East Barre, was a visitor in the city yesterday, returning from a seven weeks' trip in the interests of the World Granite company. Mr. McDonald visited through the western states as far as Denver, Colo. He visited in Illinois, Ohio, Indiana and many southern states. For the past few days he has been at Atlantic City, N. J., and New York.

In discussing the open-air play which comes to Barre to-morrow evening, several persons have expressed hesitation about purchasing tickets in advance, thinking if the night were rainy the play could not be given. The ladies have provided for this contingency by securing the opera house for that night and the Frank Lea Short company are provided with unique scenery to give the stage an out-of-doors appearance. This scenery has been painted by an artist who while not a "futurist," yet believes in the new ideas in stage settings. The tickets are now on sale at Brown's. Prices, 75c and \$1.—Adv.

Two there were who drank well but none too wisely over the week-end. Patrick Corrigan, an employe of the city water department, pleaded guilty to a first offense before Magistrate H. W. Scott in court this morning and paid a \$5 fine with costs of \$4.70. Arthur St. John, said to be an old offender, had a vision of the grim reaper on Elm street early Sunday morning, but it was only a vision for Fate took a vacation from the person of Officer John W. Dineen and Mr. Dineen carried Arthur away to police headquarters. St. John was the center of a small disturbance which did not end until someone telephoned the police station. Before the judge to-day, St. John pleaded guilty to a subsequent offense and was asked to disclose. He told of getting gin from someone on the circus grounds at North Barre. St. John wasn't at all sure of his man's name and the court gave him a straight sentence of 30 days in the county jail at Montpelier.

The specimens of the flower table in the library for the past week are: Wild carrot, Kate Carwell, Marion Tilden; wild pansy, Gertrude Donahue, Marion Tilden; purple everlasting, purple winged orchis, early purple aster, wild yam, Gertrude Donahue; wood orchis, elecampane, agrimony, Marion Tilden; five finger, Doris Lord; mad dog skull cap, bind-weed, Esther Alexander; calendula, sundrops, Doris Tetrauit; wild cherry, purple orchis, wormwood, Lizzie Nutbrown; sweet fern, Rachel Robinson; mountain sandwort, Mr. Ball; Clintonia (fruit), oak leaves, pine, checkerberry, amphibious, knot-weed, hick cherry, balsam fir, mountain maple, May weed, thoroughwort, burdock, chicory, turtle head, scotch thistle, pond lily, Joe pyris weed, red osier, dogwood, purple twisted stalk (fruit), hunk tomato, wild lettuce.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved father and grandfather, also for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Albosetti and family.
Mrs. L. Calderara.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Magnaghi.

TALK OF THE TOWN

One-half price sale at Knight's. Sale of summer dresses at Fitts'.

Abbott's remnant sale next Saturday.

See Fitts' parasols at half price and less.

Bargains in oxfords at the Tilden Shoe Co.'s sale.

Oxfords for half their value at Tilden Shoe Co.

Read the Tilden Shoe Co.'s advertisement and visit the clean-up sale.

The McWhorter Co. have a few more of those suits to close at reduced prices.

E. S. Bendall of Albany, N. Y., arrived in the city yesterday to pass the coming few days with friends.

Peter Desautels of Central street went to-day to Burlington to attend an insurance underwriters meeting.

William Mears of South Main street left this morning for Plainfield to visit for a few days in the home of Nat S. Page.

Alfred McKay of Washington street left Saturday for Highgate Springs, where he will pass the coming week in camp.

Ernest Little of Summer street returned to-day to Randolph, where he has been spending the past few days on business interests.

John W. Mahoney of Merchant street resumed his duties at the American Express office this morning, after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Venetti of Pearl street returned this morning from Waterbury, where they have been the guest of relatives.

Rev. O. L. Barnard of Wait's River was a visitor in the city this forenoon while on his way to Dover, Ill., where he will pass a month.

Miss Caddie J. Dodge of Cohoes, N. Y., who came here on account of the death of her uncle, George W. Dodge, of Berlin, returned to her home this morning.

Joseph Russo of Montpelier sustained injuries to one hand while alighting from a street car in North Barre Saturday evening, the index finger being crushed and another finger badly bruised. Russo fell as he was getting off the car.

The Vermont Football league has entered into the last month of its playing season. The league was started early in June and will be closed the 29th of August. The Barre Rangers are in a commanding lead, one that in all probability will not be overcome. The Bonaccord club still cling to a faint hope of winning the pennant, but this can only be accomplished by winning its remaining three contests while the Rangers drop its three contests. The following is the schedule of the league for the remainder of the season. On the coming Saturday the Barre Rangers meet the Hardwick club at Hardwick. August 15, Rangers-Barre Hill Rovers at Barre, Bonaccord-Hardwick at Hardwick; August 21, Barre Hill Rovers-Hardwick at Graniteville. There will probably be some exhibition games between local clubs at the close of the league season.

The Barre Woman's club is pleased to present the following list of patronesses and patrons for the open-air play which will be given to-morrow evening on the lawn of Mrs. Charles Smith on Elm street: Mrs. Ella Bailey, Mrs. G. H. Smilie, Mrs. J. B. Estee, Mrs. L. Hathaway, Mrs. J. A. DeBoer, Mrs. Frank Corry, Mrs. James Boutwell, Mrs. Fred Howland, Mrs. Charles Best, Mrs. Charles Spooner, Mrs. Fred Whitney, Mrs. Charles Plumley, Miss Olive Calef, Mrs. Louis Seaver, Mrs. Roach, Mrs. Cooney, F. T. Langley, N. D. Phelps, H. A. Phelps, F. H. Rogers, B. A. Eastman, D. G. Morse, Frank McWhorter, H. G. Woodruff, O. K. Hollister, A. A. Sargent, L. S. Gates, F. C. Eaton, N. B. Ballard, N. S. Love, N. J. Roberts, Dr. W. E. Lazell, L. R. Rickert, Rev. H. B. Reardon, G. H. Page, A. F. Abbott, H. H. Jackson, J. G. Morrison, W. Hooker, F. J. Martin, W. H. Ward, J. Ward Carver, F. D. Ladd.

Miss Harriet M. Houston of Maple avenue, who is taking a two-weeks' vacation from her duties in the office of the Consolidated Lighting Co., left last night for Malden, Mass., where she is to be the guest of Miss Florence Granger. Her traveling companions are Mrs. Charles W. Williams, Charles E. Barrows of Central street, who is taking a vacation from the tailoring department at the F. H. Rogers clothing store, left last night with relatives in Springfield and Chicopee, Mass. Robert Selby, an employe of Jones Bros., left this morning for his former home in Brandon to pass a week's vacation. Mrs. Frank W. Langlois of Beckley street left on a late forenoon train for Burlington to pass the week with relatives. Charles W. Williams left this morning at 8:15 o'clock for Boston, there to make a 10 days' visit with friends.

Mrs. Harry W. Quimby and son, Kenneth, of Academy street left Saturday for Lake Umbagog, N. H., where they will open their summer camp. Mr. Quimby bears a vacation from his duties in the Homer Fitts store Saturday and will join his family for a fortnight. Mr. and Mrs. Byron E. Wright of Prospect street, Mrs. Lyle Perry and daughter and Mrs. Ivan Perry of Montpelier have gone into camp at Pigeon pond in Marshfield for 10 days. Mr. and Mrs. A. Lamorey and three children of Cliff street left yesterday by automobile for Newport, where they will remain in camp for a few days on the shores of Lake Umbagog. Fred Besandiet and family of North Main street returned to-day from Berlin pond, where they have been in camp for 10 days and Dean Blodgett, who has been camping with friends at Joe pond in Danville for the past two weeks, resumed work at the E. M. Lyon grocery store this morning.

Preparatory to starting work on the 1914 strip of permanent road that is to be constructed from the Quarry intersection on South Main street to the city limits near the home of George McFarland, men in the street department began this morning to move the stone crusher from its present location near Jones Bros' plan to a point midway of the highway to be rebuilt. At least two days will elapse before the crusher in its entirety will have been transferred to the south-end. The steam roller, which has been furnishing an accompaniment to city court proceedings on Prospect street for some few days, will be moved to South Main street to-morrow. Superintendent J. S. Wilson plans to employ all of the men now enrolled in street cleaning, a number of whom will be put on the job. It is hoped to start work Thursday morning. It will take a month to complete the road.

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Spray your trees and garden with pyrox. For sale at the Kempton mill.

Miss Ida Bianchi of Summer street is taking a two weeks' vacation from her duties at the Daylight store.

Mrs. Lydia Forrest of Portland, Me., arrived in the city to-day to pass the coming ten days with relatives.

"The Dangers of the Veldt," a three reel 101 Bison, featuring Edna Maison and William Rawlinson; also a good comedy at the Bijou.

Miss Eva Broggi of Northfield returned to her home yesterday, after a week's visit at the home of Charles Bianchi of Summer street.

Teodoro and Asunso Bottinelli of Westbury, R. I., and Boston arrived in the city last night for an extended visit with relatives on High Holborn street.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fitts and son, Harold, returned last night from a 10 days' automobile trip through New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Miss Eva Provasoli of Marlboro, Mass., is visiting at the home of Charles Bianchi on Summer street. Miss Provasoli expects to return to her home the latter part of this week.

William H. Eager of Hooker avenue began a vacation of 15 days from the Lyon grocery this morning. Next week Mr. Eager will accompany the Barre delegation to Bellows Falls to attend the annual convention of the Vermont state branch of the A. F. of L.

NEW EATING-HOUSE.

"Jack's Lunch" Served in Fine Quarters To-day.

"Jack's lunch," Barre's oldest eating establishment known to the traveling public throughout New England, found itself re-established in new quarters when the doors of the new brick structure recently erected on Depot square by the Granite Savings bank were opened to-day by the Ensie brothers. The new structure is a one-story brick affair, reared on the site of the former building. The building measures about 45 feet in depth and 20 feet in frontage. One section of the building is devoted to dining service, measuring 35 feet by 20 feet, while the other section is devoted to culinary purposes, measuring 20 feet by 10 feet.

The interior of the new apartments has been finished in mission work with a background of a white and red color scheme. Circling the eating room is one of those familiar horseshoe counters with a seating capacity of 20. Along the east side of the building are lined four tables which are estimated to accommodate about 15 patrons. There is also a cigar and cigarette service counter attached with the restaurant. The Ensie brothers, proprietors, intend for the present to continue the same service for their patrons that they have furnished since launching forth in the enterprise. But later they intend to extend the service and afford special meals and to enlarge their menu lists.

Says 28-Year-Old Women Marry to Escape Loneliness.

Marjorie Benton Cooke, author of "Bambly" the lively and entertaining story now running in The American magazine, submitted to an interview by a New York newspaper woman the other day in which she said: "The girl of eighteen marries a man because she's mad about him. The woman of twenty-eight marries because she wants a chum. Of the two unions I believe that the second is much more likely to result in lasting happiness. "The woman who doesn't marry till she is nearly thirty has found out what loneliness means. Or she has seen women fifty or sixty years old with no one to companion them and a black future almost upon them. She has said to herself with a shiver, 'I may be like that. So she marries a man with whom she can be good friends and who, on his part, asks nothing more than she has to give.' "Or she doesn't find that sort of a man and remains unmarried. There are conditions prescribed by some husbands which fill with disgust the economically independent woman. Once to have filled your own pocketbook with the proceeds of your own work is to have faded blood, you know.

"The modern woman demands so much more of a husband than the woman of a generation ago. It's not merely that she wants a fairer financial status, but she requires intellectual companionship and moral cleanness."

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DREAMLAND THEATRE

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A CIPHER DISPATCH

By WILLIAM CHANDLER

We were hemmed in between two different Confederate forces, and if they should make a simultaneous attack upon us they would crush us. But communication between the two was difficult since we were in a valley with high mountains on either side, and, realizing that we must keep our enemies apart, we threw out a line of pickets on either side of us extending as far up the mountain as a passage was possible.

I was in command of about 800 men. My information was that the force southwest of us consisted of about 600, and that on the northeast of us numbered about 1,000 men. It was evident that if compelled to fight one of these forces in our front and another in our rear there would be nothing left of us. If the Confederate commander south of us, Colonel B., had been as enterprising as he should have been and attacked us doubtless the force to the north, hearing his guns, would have joined in the fight. But the colonel seemed to prefer a certainty and sent one courier after another to Major L., ordering him to attack us on a specified day and hour. Every one of these couriers was captured. One bore a message in writing. The others either carried no messages or, if they did, managed to get away with them without our knowing it.

Finally we were reduced to our last ration—we had only three days' rations to start with—and even if not attacked we must soon surrender. When I was contemplating asking for terms my pickets sent in to me a negro who had been caught trying to steal through the lines far up on the mountain. He was as stupid looking a man as I ever saw, and my surmise that he was not shamming proved correct. Indeed, it was probable that he had been selected to do the work he was entrusted with because he was so stupid that he would not likely be taken for the bearer of an important message from one officer to another.

I directed that he be searched and anything found on him be brought to me. My orderly, who did the searching, brought me a pocketknife, a small piece of tobacco and a dirty piece of paper that proved to be a receipt for 27 cents paid for chicken feed. I threw the paper down as unworthy of attention, but took it up again, and getting more light on it noticed certain marks on it in pencil that looked as if a newly hatched chicken had been walking over it. These tracks were on two lines on the back of the

receipt, the one on the upper edge of the paper, the other lower down. I confess I was much puzzled by them. I called in several of my officers and asked if they could make anything out of them. Lieutenant Budd suggested that they might be parts of letters. This view was soon voted correct by the rest of us. But of what letters they were parts we did not know and made no headway in discovering.

Budd said that if I would let him take the paper to his tent he would try to study the matter out. I gave him permission, and in an hour he returned with the puzzle solved. The paper had been wrapped about a round stick, probably a ruler for line making, and a message had been written where the upper edge had overlapped, half of each letter being on the edge and half on the paper over which the edge lapped. When adjusted on a stick like the one on which the message had been written it was perfectly plain. When the paper was unrolled the upper parts of the letters were separated from the lower parts. The message was addressed to Major L. and read thus:

Attack the force south of you at dawn on Tuesday next. When I hear your guns I will take the enemy in rear.

I was delighted with the information I had received, and it occurred to me that I might turn it to account. Might I not rub out the message and write another one in its place? The negro had undoubtedly been given the message and shown how it was to be deciphered, but probably he couldn't read it himself and did not know what it was. I directed Budd to test the man's capacity to read and he reported that he didn't know one letter from another. This decided me. I resolved to send Major L. orders of my own choosing in Colonel B.'s name. Rolling the message on the stick, I wrote the following:

March on receipt of this southeastward through the pass directly in your rear and join me at H., whence our commands proceed to Richmond.

I signed the colonel's name to the message and sent for the negro. I asked him a number of questions as to where and why he was going north and why he didn't come to me for a pass instead of trying to steal through my lines. He told a pitiful story about a sick wife and starving children, and, pretending to be moved by it, I handed him back his knife, his tobacco and his receipt and told Budd to see him through the lines.

When the next morning my mountain pickets reported that the enemy to the north of us had moved through the pass as I had directed, I was delighted with the success of the scheme. I directed that a feint be made by a small part of my command on the Confederate south of us, and while it was going on marched the main force out of the trap, to be followed by the others. So by turning the enemy's trick on himself I saved my force and myself.

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beats a tub bath "40 ways." It thoroughly massages and gets the dirt out of sores, boils, blemishes, wash cloth ever used. A shower, body massage and shampoo all in one. Flexible and adjustable to every curve of limbs of body. Attaches to any faucet. Five sizes, \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.75, \$4.99 and \$7.00. Your money back if not fully pleased. Get one today.

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