

BETHEL

Cashier E. A. Davis Gets Important Federal Work.

Cashier E. A. Davis has been requested by the governor of the Federal Reserve bank in Boston to devote his time to visiting the banks in Vermont and New Hampshire and keeping them in touch with loan movements and government interests in general. He has consented to devote his time to this work excepting the period from Saturday to Monday, which he reserves for rest and the interests of his own bank. Mr. Davis was a member of a New England committee of 15 appointed by the Federal Reserve bank to formulate the next certificate of indebtedness prior to the fourth Liberty loan. His work on the committee was of such a nature that Governor Morse picked him from among the bank men of two states for the important work which he now has undertaken. He has been in Boston recently getting in touch with the spirit of the movement he is to promote, and last week he entered upon the actual duties of his new position on Friday doing a particularly strenuous day's work, using his automobile for the week's trip.

Ralph Porter of Blandford, Mass., who has been working in Windsor, has enlisted in the marine corps and expects his call in a few days. B. C. Rogers and W. A. Maynard have been working in the store of F. L. Martin during the illness of Mr. Martin.

Mrs. D. E. Bushey and her daughters, who spent the summer here, after a visit with relatives in Swanton, during which they were ill with influenza, have returned home to Chelsea, Mass.

Albert H. Dustin has learned of the arrival of his son, Ernest, in England on his way to join the American expeditionary force in France.

Lorenzo, Marsigli has moved back to the Bass house on Main street, which he occupied formerly.

Auctions of A. E. Bullard's goods in Stockbridge and Rochester, billed for this week, are postponed to next week by the action of health boards in these towns.

ROCHESTER

Miss Della Hodgkins of Holyoke, Mass., is visiting her father, Wardner Hodgkins.

Miss Marjorie Ford has returned to Boston to take up her studies in the Gordon training school.

Mrs. A. T. Osha and Mrs. Edna Lyon were in South Royalton Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Erwin Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wade were in Northfield last week to attend the funeral of their son-in-law, Alfred Preston.

Miss Bertha Pales is working in the People's telephone office.

Lieut. W. M. Huntington, stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., has passed the examination to enter the surgical corps. Only 128 out of 3,500 have made the course. He has also been made quiz master of his company.

No ceremonies attended the raising of the service flag but Rochester feels proud of the 58 stars thereon and also of the flags on either side overlapping, showing the town had gone over the top in every Liberty loan.

Mrs. John Alden and daughter, Prescilla, and sister, Mrs. M. A. Stevenson, of Barton, motored here last week and were guests at the home of their brother, Leon Sturtevant.

Rochester exceeded its Liberty loan quota of \$28,000 by \$15,500, making it \$43,500 subscribed.

Miss Clara Stevens was at home from White River Junction a few days last week.

The funeral services of Herman Kent, who died at Braintree of influenza and pneumonia, was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of his father, Sey-



Resinol the home remedy for sick skins

When someone in the family develops an itching patch of rash or eczema, you want something that will give immediate relief and heal the trouble before it has a chance to become serious. The success of Resinol for such cases has been proven by years of use in the home. Sold by all druggists.

RANDOLPH

The remains of the late Mrs. Julia Tilson were brought here from Trenton, N. J., on Friday night and burial was in town on Friday forenoon. The body came in the charge of her nephew, Royce Bass, of Taunton, Mass., who went on to Trenton at the time of Mrs. Tilson's death. Rev. Fraser Metzger officiated at the burial, and there were present the two sisters, Mrs. C. E. Pratt of this place, and Mrs. Ellen Brown of Pittsfield, and the only brother, E. Bass, of Bethel, with his wife. Mr. and Mrs. John Bass, the former a nephew, were present at the burial. Mr. and Mrs. Bass and Mrs. Ellen Brown returned to their homes on Saturday afternoon, leaving Royce Bass for a few days' stay here with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Bass.

Jackson Vail of Monroe Bridge, who has been in Pomfret for a week with his brother, Solon Vail, and family, returned here on Friday night for a few days' stay with his parents, where his family have been for a week.

Mrs. Martha Williams, who has been in Warren for the past ten days nursing in a family, where there were ten ill with influenza, returned home on Saturday.

Harry Chase was in town last week for a few days with his family, leaving here for White River Junction. On Sunday, Mrs. Chase joined him there, and they went to Littleton, N. H., for a short stay with friends.

Miss Galarneau came from Montreal on Saturday for a short stay with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Galarneau, of School street.

Mrs. Alice Bruce went to Lebanon, N. H., Saturday to join Mrs. Robert Brown.

Miss Minnie Carpenter, after passing several days in town, sold her house on the Highlands to Mr. Walworth, who will take immediate possession, moving from the house owned by Mrs. R. G. Morton on Weston street, to this place, Mrs. Carpenter went to her home in Montpelier on Saturday, but will return this week for other business here for several days.

WAITSFIELD

Warren Wright, John Buzzell, Vern Griffith, Mrs. Ernest Griffith and Kermit Moriarty were all reported not as well on Friday. The new patients are Steve Joslin and Harold Hayes. The latter has gone to his home in Middlesex.

B. D. Bisbee went Friday to his daughter's, Mrs. Harry Backus, in Duxbury, where four in the family are sick.

Word from the postoffice department at Washington says we return to our two-stage schedule on Nov. 1.

Clyde Jones was in Montpelier Friday. G. E. Farr and Moses DeCell were in Barre Friday on business.

Miss Irene Childs of Moretown is with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baird for a few days.

All those who have material of any kind for the McIntos' barrel will please leave the same with Mrs. Dale on or before Nov. 8.

EAST BRAINTREE

All those that were reported ill with influenza last week are better. There are no new cases in town.

Roy Fletcher and Miss Ethel Smith, both of this place, were married Wednesday in Randolph, Rev. Fraser Metzger performing the ceremony.

Miss Helen McCuin, after passing four weeks with her parents here, returned to Greenfield, Mass., Saturday, where she has a position in the graded school.

Charlie McCarthy arrived here Friday from North Dakota to visit his sister, Mrs. Isabelle Kent.

O. S. Ladd of St. Johnsbury, who has been visiting at E. A. Wheeler's, returned home Friday. Miss Helen Wheeler accompanied him.

TO ALL WOMEN WHO ARE ILL

This Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Her Personal Experience.

McLean, Neb.—"I want to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all women who suffer from any functional disturbance, as it has done me more good than all the doctor's medicine. Since taking it I have a fine healthy baby girl and have gained in health and strength. My husband and I both praise your medicine to all suffering women."



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This famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has been restoring women of America to health for more than forty years and it will help any woman who suffers from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues" to give this successful remedy a trial.

For special suggestions in regard to your ailment write Lydia E. Pinkham, Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

HANCOCK

A pretty home wedding occurred on Wednesday evening when Miss Blanche Beulah Manning of Hancock and Charles Floyd Stoddard of South Royalton were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Manning; the ceremony being performed by Rev. O. B. Walls of Rochester, only the near relatives being present.

The couple stood under an archway, decorated with evergreen and spruces, with banners of red, white and blue. The gown of the bride was of white silk with trimmings of shadow lace and ribbon, and she carried a bouquet of pink and white roses. The attendants were Miss Bertha Manning and Dan Manning, sister and brother of the bride, while a younger brother, Volney, acted as ring bearer. After the ceremony refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard started that evening in their car for a trip to Concord, N. H., and will also visit relatives in Springfield, Vt. Mrs. Stoddard has been a teacher in the public schools for two or three years and will complete her year of teaching in the village school at Braintree before taking up her new home duties. Her many friends extend their cordial congratulations and best wishes for happiness and prosperity in her new life.

Mrs. John Buttles was called to Warren last week by the illness of her two daughters and husband and grandchild, Orrel Hanks, her son-in-law, died the next day after her arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roberts, Mrs. Arthur Drake and Melvin Roberts of Randolph were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts for the week end.

All who have been ill with influenza are improving and no new cases reported.

WATERBURY

Capt. H. D. Campbell Tells of Participation in Great Battle.

After a time of great anxiety because of rumors regarding the surrounding of the marines, letters were again received by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Campbell from their son, Captain H. Denney Campbell. Interesting ones follow, telling something of the big battle through which he came uninjured. The second one refers to his joy at the hopes of seeing his father in France. Mr. Campbell expects to leave before long in Y. M. C. A. work. As a Washington county boy, a graduate of Waterbury high school and Norwich university, many are watching his work with deep interest. The going overseas of his father will also give an added interest to the work over there. His letters are:

Rest Billets, Sunday, Sept. 22.

Dear Ones: It's about three weeks now since I last wrote you, but I have found out that a lot can take place in that same short time. My last letter was from a training camp, where we were undergoing a severe course of instruction and putting on the finishing touches for the big battle which we just recently pulled off and which, as you know, was most successful. We were two weeks getting ready for it and within three weeks it was all over and we were back in rest billets. As a matter of fact, the battle itself was only of a few days' duration and we had reached the second day's objective on the first day. Some different from Chateau Thierry and Belleau woods, but a sight more disagreeable. We moved by night and also by night. I don't think that I saw a dry night for nearly three weeks and dark. I never before encountered such dark nights. No kidding, I couldn't see my horse's head. And every night the same old story—either marching in a dreaching rain or sleeping in the mud. We had the stuff on 'em this time and they knew it. And artillery, why I didn't know that there was so much in France. All kinds and sizes from the trusty French 75 to our big naval and railroad guns. When they all commenced barking at 1 a. m. Sept. 12 it seemed as if all hell had broken loose. On top of this was our machine gun barrage from hundreds of guns. When the crucial moment arrived at 5 a. m. we went over the top, preceded by tanks and with the air support. We had control of the ground of the air as well as of the ground. The artillery fire was deafening. It was terrible, yet wonderful. They tell that the air was so full of lead that not even a bird could live. One of our aeroplanes stopped one of our big shells and that was the last of him. As we started over, one Hun aviator showed his nerve by coming across and dropping eight bombs in our midst. The sad part of it was that he got away. The most pitiful sight I saw, however, was some of our machines being brought down by the boche. In several instances I saw both the pilot and the observer leap from the burning machine at an altitude of over a thousand yards and hit the ground with a thud; dead probably before they ever lit the earth. We got our revenge though, for my company brought down a boche with their machine guns, and I have the compass from his machine, which is certainly a little beauty. He was flying low and chasing a French aviator, whom he killed. Both planes fell close by. We passed over a great deal of the German for over four years and captured railroads, artillery, horses and all sorts of stores and material. It was a great old scrap but too one-sided to make it real interesting. Our casualties were surprisingly small.

I will enclose a few souvenirs but the Dutchmen were going so fast they couldn't catch one to a real worth while remembrance of the battle. Harold.

Rest Billets, Sunday, Sept. 24.

My dear Dad: Just a line, as I have a few things I would like to say. One is that I am very proud of my old dad and another is that I am anxiously awaiting your arrival in France. Meanwhile I'll try and keep on doing whizz bangs until I get a chance to see you or if I can't see you any other way I'll get in front of one and try to stop it and take a chance on pulling through and making a hospital, where I am sure I would get a chance to see you.

The package arrived at just an opportune time. The second day we got here, and just yesterday. The chocolate and cigars and cigarettes and popcorn will surely be enjoyed while I am here and the ornaments will look fine on my new uniform if I ever get a chance to go and get it.

Oh, yes, and I was just tickled to death with your picture. Some of the boys would hardly believe that you were my dad. They said you weren't old enough. I was mighty glad to get the film too. Almost impossible to get them here in France. Harold.

The funeral of Everett Swasey was held from the home of his parents on Union street Friday morning. Rev. William L. Baiscourt, pastor of the Congregational church officiating. The bearers were W. H. B. Perry, E. E. Campbell, Dr. J. F. Claire and William Parks. The business men marched in a body to the depot with the family, the remains being taken to Barre for interment in Elmwood cemetery there. The bearers in Barre were William Lynden, Spaulding and college classmates, Mark Cutler, a Barre schoolmate; Arthur Averill and Edgar Morris, cousins; Carroll and Richard Swasey, brothers. Rev. Frank Goodspeed, pastor of the Congregational church in Barre, officiated at the cemetery. Paul Swasey, who arrived from Camp Humphrey too late for the services, has a 10 days' furlough.

Fred Dalley, the 17-year-old son of Mrs. Bert Dalley, died of pneumonia following influenza at his home on Loomis hill. He is the son of Bert and Cora (Murray) Dalley, his father having died a few weeks ago from an accident. He leaves three brothers and two sisters, Winfield, Frank and Eddie, and Hazel and Florence.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the relatives and friends who so kindly assisted at the burial of our beloved son and brother. We also wish to express our appreciation of the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Swasey, Paul F. Swasey, Nellie G. Swasey, Carroll W. Swasey, Richard L. Swasey, Alton R. Swasey.

SOUTH BARRE

In connection with the united war work campaign duties assumed by Supt. W. B. Lance, the Washington county chairman of the victory boys' division, George J. Seager of South Barre has been appointed chairman of the Barre Town district over which he is the superintendent of schools. Under the direction of Supt. Lance, Mr. Seager will thoroughly organize the boys of this district for the prominent part which they are to take in the coming campaign.

DRUGGISTS!! PLEASE NOTE VICK'S VAPORUB OVERSOLD DUE TO PRESENT EPIDEMIC

Tremendous Demand Last Few Days Has Wiped Out Excess Stocks That We Had Estimated Would Last Until Next January—Last Week's Orders Called for One and Three-Quarter Million Jars—To-day's Orders Alone Amount to 932,459 Jars.

Big Shipments Are En Route to Jobbers—Until These Arrive, There May Be a Temporary Shortage—All Deals Postponed—Buy in Small Lots Only.

RETAILERS CAN GET IMMEDIATE SHIPMENTS DIRECT BY PARCEL POST

This advertisement is written on Monday, October 21st. It is directed to the attention of all distributors of Vick's VapoRub, both wholesale and retail. In an emergency such as the present epidemic—our duty—and your duty—is to distribute VapoRub in the quickest possible manner to those sections stricken by influenza. We, therefore, call your careful attention to the following:

DANGER OF SHORTAGE IF SUPPLY IS NOT CONSERVED.

On October 1st we had on hand, at our factory and in twenty warehouses scattered over the country, sufficient VapoRub to last us, we thought, until January 1st, allowing for a 50 per cent increase over last year's sales, and not counting our daily output. This big excess stock had been accumulated during the summer months.

Then this epidemic of Spanish influenza hit us—and in the last 10 days this stock has vanished. At first we thought the tremendous demand would last only a few days, but the orders have run:

Wednesday, Oct. 16—18,504 doz.

Thursday, Oct. 17—25,323 doz.

Friday, Oct. 18—39,256 doz.

Saturday, Oct. 19—45,832 doz.

Monday, Oct. 21—77,705 doz.

Up to Saturday, October 19th, we have actually shipped for this month \$400,284.10, or over two million jars of VapoRub.

THE PROBLEM NOW IS TO DISTRIBUTE VAPORUB QUICKLY.

Most of this tremendous quantity is still enroute to the jobbers, but freight and express are both congested now, days, and it may be some time before this supply reaches the jobbers. In the meantime, therefore, it is necessary that we distribute, as widely as possible, the stock that we are manufacturing daily, together with that now on the jobbers' and retailers' shelves, in order that it may get to the influenza districts quickly.

Our normal output is about 4,000 dozen per day. We are putting on a night shift, but it will be a little while before that is producing.

WHAT WE ASK THE WHOLESALE DRUGGIST TO DO.

Last Saturday we notified all of our jobbers, by special delivery, as follows:

1st—Deals and quantity shipments of kinds are cancelled. Fill no quantity orders of any kind, whether taken by our salesmen or by your own. Sell in small lots only.

THE VICK CHEMICAL COMPANY, GREENSBORO, N. C.

NORTH MONTPELIER

In connection with the united war work campaign duties assumed by Supt. W. B. Lance, the Washington county chairman of the victory boys' division, Joseph W. Butterfield of North Montpelier has been appointed chairman of

2nd—Order from us in as small quantities as possible. If you are out, we will try to ship a limited amount by parcel post or express, and pay the charges ourselves.

3rd—In order to make distribution still quicker, we will ship direct to your retail customers quantities not more than three (3) dozen 30c size at any one shipment.

4th—We are now out of the 60c size and will be for the next 10 days.

WHAT WE ASK THE RETAIL DRUGGIST TO DO.

Buy in as small quantities as possible. If you have any quantity orders, given the jobber's salesmen or given to our salesmen, don't bother about them—no need to write us—it is absolutely impossible to fill these orders at this time. If the jobbers in your territory are out of Vick's VapoRub, we will ship you by parcel post, prepaid, quantities not more than three (3) dozen 30c size in any one order. Naturally, we can't open accounts at this time, so your check or money order for this amount must accompany order. Don't write us stating to ship through your jobber, as we then have to wait until we write the jobber and get his O. K. If you wish the goods to come through your jobber, have him order them for you.

SNOWED UNDER WITH CORRESPONDENCE.

Our force has already been "shot to pieces"—twenty-four of our men are wearing Uncle Sam's khaki—and this recent rush has simply buried us. All our sales force has been called in to help in the office and factory. We just mention this so you won't hold it against us if your wires and letters aren't answered promptly.

SPECIAL BOOKLETS ON SPANISH INFLUENZA.

We will send, on request, to any retail druggist, 100 or more little booklets, just issued, on Spanish influenza, giving the latest information about this disease—its history—the symptoms—the treatment—and particularly the use of Vick's VapoRub as an external application to supplement the physician's treatment.

NEW WAYS TO USE VAPORUB.

In addition to the usual method of using VapoRub—that is, applied over the throat and chest and covered with hot flannel cloths—our customers are writing us daily, telling of their success in using VapoRub in other ways, particularly as a preventive. They melt a little in a spoon and inhale the vapors arising, or melt it in a bezel steam kettle. Where the steam kettle is not available, VapoRub can be used in an ordinary tea-kettle. Fill the tea-kettle half full of boiling water, put in half a teaspoon of VapoRub from time to time—keep the kettle just slowly boiling and inhale the steam arising.

According to a bulletin just issued by the Public Health Service, Dr. Stiles, of this service, recommends that the nose be kept greased as a preventive measure against the influenza germs. For this purpose VapoRub is excellent.

What Other Food Helps To Conserve as does Grape-Nuts

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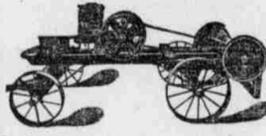
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Saves Time—ready to serve direct from the package

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You are conserving when you eat Grape-Nuts

A dangerous rasping cough and sore throat can be quickly relieved by Kemp's Balsam. A few cents invested in a bottle will amply repay you when you have occasion to use. Used by thousands. Satisfaction guaranteed. Sold by druggists everywhere.



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