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Centralia, Wash., gives impressive testimony that the Red snake must be more than scotched—it must be obliterated from American life.

The Saturday night "hill" train on the Barre & Chelsea railroad will run between Barre and the "hill." Patrons going to Chelsea will finish the distance by foot or other conveyance.

The officials of the mine workers' union may order the men back to work, but they, apparently, are more or less powerless to make the men work. But that situation may be expected to clear itself in due season.

The collection of bottles labeled peppermint, wintergreen, Jamaica ginger, tonic, varnish, oil of peppermint and celery compound found beside the body of a White River Junction man told all too plainly of the evil of mixed drinks.

Having patented his invention to have automobile headlights follow the wheels, that Vermont man ought to turn his attention to perfecting some device so that the driver of an automobile may know positively that the tail light is burning. By doing the latter he would confer another favor on motorists and save many of them from prosecution.

A more liberal exercise of the laws already on the books would seem to be needed in some of those western states where radicalism has been sticking up its head in all its ugliness. The affair at Centralia, Wash., was so brazen a display of defiance of constituted authority that it calls for action by the federal government rather than by state government alone.

Pres. Wilson's congratulations to Gov. Coolidge on the latter's success at the polls were the more appreciated, no doubt, because of their ring of sincerity—so much different than some of the messages which are sent to successful candidates. Wilson had no axe to grind; he was stating his honest belief that the election of Coolidge was a distinct triumph for law and order.

There ought to be some kind of a knife to cut the red tape so that Vermont towns will not be required to go through the form of voting on local option next March when it is definitely known that national prohibition will be in force even before that time. It ought not to be necessary to call a special session of the Vermont legislature in order to repeal the Vermont local option law.

Something of the vote-getting capacity of his illustrious father seems to be handed down to Theodore Roosevelt, the younger, who on Tuesday was elected to the New York state assembly from the second Nassau county district, for the young political aspirant's victory was not only overwhelming in the size of the plurality but it was the more remarkable because Roosevelt carried his opponent's home town by nearly 200 plurality. The case with which the young man won was unusual, and it may augur much for him in the political arena.

All the newspaper people of Vermont, and many others as well, will extend their sympathy to Publisher W. C. Belknap of the Bellows Falls Times, who sustained serious loss in his printing establishment from fire early Wednesday morning. The first reports of the loss state that a considerable part of the equipment was ruined, including the newspaper press and one linotype, necessitating the preparation of the newspaper in some other printing establishment and piling up trouble, which none but a newspaper man can understand. In common with all newspaper men in Vermont, we hope that the delays incident to the installation of new machinery will be reduced to a minimum and that the other troubles and vexations will be as small as possible, so that Publisher

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Belknap can get back in his old quarters at an early date.

The action of the Central Vermont railroad in restoring two Sunday trains, which were discontinued during the war, will take effect at about the time the automobile touring season will be at an end in Vermont. In fact, there may be more or less relation between the two things, the railroad officials figuring, perhaps, that people are apt to do just about so much traveling about on Sunday and if they cannot ride by motor vehicle they will be likely to take to the older mode of transportation. However that may be, the restoring of the northbound local train in the morning and the southbound local in the evening will be appreciated by a great number of people.

**CLEMENT'S ARMISTICE DAY TALK**

In view of the alleged strictures by Gov. Clement on some ex-service men in Vermont, which aroused the ire of the Vermont branch of the American Legion and which caused the convention of the Legion to demand a virtual retraction from the executive in the shape of a letter, the address by Gov. Clement in the armistice day celebration in Middlebury is of more than passing interest. There is no direct reference in the address to the letter which appeared over Gov. Clement's signature and which caused the former service men to become angered, but there are frequent references to the men from Vermont who went into United States service during the world war. All of those references are of a laudatory nature, showing at least that Gov. Clement meant no sweeping aspersions on ex-service men by the letter which appeared over his signature to Dr. Thom, psychiatrist in charge of the work of bringing mentally disabled soldiers back to normality. One of those passages might be reproduced here so that the Vermont executive can be judged in a clearer light. It reads: "Thus I can say that Vermont was not backward in filling her full quota of men, on time every time, and to the everlasting credit of the state, men who were well equipped physically and mentally to perform any and all tasks which came in their line of duty; men as resourceful as they were resolute and independent." The statement is by no means a retraction of anything which appeared over Gov. Clement's signature in a letter, nor does it make explicit reference to the case in hand; but it is evident from the statement that Gov. Clement is anxious to set at rest any rumors of his animosity to Vermont service men in general. That may go part way toward assuaging the ill feeling engendered in the minds of many former service men toward the Vermont executive; and a direct statement of desire to sweep aside any aspersions on any members of the body of 15,000 ex-service men would make a still further advance toward amity of feeling.

**CURRENT COMMENT**

**That Barrel of Cider.**  
 From time immemorial a barrel of cider has been a legitimate occupant of the cellar as a part of the stores for winter, a bit of wise preparedness for the long stormy evenings sure to come in a Vermont winter. Many people have made it a part of the regular routine for the day and some have used it until the most crabbed, sensitive tempers known have become a fixed feature in one's winter disposition. It always went into the cellar a harmless and excellently flavored liquid and came out imbued with various stages of intoxicating power. What cider will be in the year of our Lord 1919-20 is something of a question.

The new prohibition enforcement law now awaiting presidential signature provides "The penalties of this act against the manufacture of liquor without a permit shall not apply to a person for manufacturing non-intoxicating cider or fruit juices exclusively in the home, but such cider shall not be sold or delivered except to such persons having permits to manufacture vinegar."

Does this permit the manufacture of cider at a cider mill? A cider mill certainly is not "exclusively in the home."  
 In New Hampshire the officers evidently intend to allow the manufacture of cider in cider mills. Law Enforcement Commissioner Lewis of that state is sending a letter to the operators of cider mills in which he says:  
 "Of course, you understand that section 55 (a state law perhaps) prohibits the manufacture of any intoxicating liquor for beverage purpose, consequently it is illegal to make cider even for personal use, with the intention of drinking it after it has fermented."  
 "In view of the above facts we are asking cider makers to keep an account of the cider they make. We are also asking them to have their customers or those who buy cider at the mill, and those who bring apples to the mill to have them made into cider, sign a book stating what use they propose to make of the cider. This will be a little trouble for the man who runs the cider mill, but may save him a great deal of trouble later on."

The news article says: "The apple juice (in the individual's cellar) must have turned into vinegar, been converted into boiled cider or jelly, incorporated into mince pies, or must be well on its way toward the vinegar stage, if the owner expects to escape prosecution under the law." Evidently the owner of cider in the future will not be considered a good provider. He must be either a manufacturer of vinegar, jelly or boiled cider or a criminal subject to the pains and penalties of law.—Brattleboro Reformer.

**And So They Were Married.**  
 He—A penny for your thoughts.  
 She (cooly)—Oh, I really can't tell you. This is not leap year.—Boston Transcript.

**The Best Man.**  
 "Who was the best man at the wedding?"  
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**TO CONTEST WILL.**

Two Contestants Try to Break Will of Mrs. Effie P. Wells.  
 Burlington, Nov. 13.—Notice of the appeal to county court has been given by the contestants of the will of the late Mrs. Effie P. Wells. The contestants are Hannah P. Wells, wife of Charles Wells of this city and Anna Wells Sykes.

The attorneys for the contestants are H. A. Cushing of New York City, R. E. Brown of Burlington and A. L. Sherman of Burlington. The attorneys for the executors are Charles H. Darling and E. C. Mower.

At the hearing yesterday the subscribing witnesses to the will were examined before Probate Judge J. H. Macomber but no other witnesses were examined. The subscribing witnesses to the will were Clarence P. Cowles, General Stephen Jocelyn, and F. E. Kimball.

The special administrators already appointed, Henry L. Ward and E. C. Mower, will continue to administer the estate until the contest is finally disposed of.

The probate judge ordered that the special administrators should file a bond of \$100,000 in place of the bond for \$25,000 already filed.

**THIRD DAY OF WRANGLE.**

Over Wages and Working Conditions on the Railroads.  
 Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—The conference between railroad brotherhood chiefs and Director General of Railroads Hines over the employees' demands for increased wages and revised working conditions went into its third day to-day without an agreement in sight.

Largest line of new and second-hand ranges and heaters in Barre at lowest prices. E. A. Prindle, Worthen block.

**WAITSFIELD**

Mrs. E. H. Boyer of Portland, Ore., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Marshall, at Mrs. Dale's.

Mrs. Riford of Proctorsville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Egbert Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Long have gone to St. Albans for a few days, to visit their brother, Harold Long.

Raymond Baird of Hanover and George Howe of Derry, N. H., were at J. L. Baird's Sunday and Monday of this week.

Clyde Baird has gone on a visiting trip to Hanover, N. H., and Windsor, where he will see two of his brothers, Raymond and Mark, respectively, and thence to Randolph to visit friends.

Miss Blanche Straw has a position as clerk in Griffith and Nell's store.

A large number of people attended the dinner at the Congregational church Wednesday, in spite of the unfavorable weather.

Morton H. McAllister, the fur buyer, was in town Tuesday to buy up the available furs of the season.

**HARDWICK STREET**

Miss Lorinda Foss has closed her house here and gone to Hardwick to spend the winter.

Mrs. Eva Russell has gone to Massachusetts to spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. Burnette Goodwin has returned from Nashua, N. H., where she has been stopping for two months.

Mrs. Walter Sablin and son, Earl, of Wolcott were over-Sunday guests at E. D. Paake's.

Mrs. Susie Ross of Morrisville is to be at C. R. Russell's for a few weeks.

Gaudin Broecker is ill with the prevailing distemper.

Myron Salls and family spent Sunday with relatives at Greensboro Bend.

**AMUSEMENT NOTES**

Harry Bulger, Called America's Funniest Man, in Barre Nov. 17.

Those who keep in touch with theatrical events of the day will be delighted to learn that Harry Bulger, America's funniest man, will be seen in the star role of Mort Singer's sensational musical comedy, "The Flirting Princess," which appears at the opera house Monday, Nov. 17. "The Flirting Princess" comes to this city with a record run of one whole year at the LaSalle theatre in Chicago, and it is said to be one of the best musical shows on the road. The cast includes, in addition to Harry Bulger, Marjorie Sweet, Lillian Goldsmith, Katie Rooney, Galen Bogue, David DeWolfe, Thomas Grady, Frank Girard and a number of other well-known musical comedy favorites. One of the many features of the performance is a remarkably clever chorus of pretty girls which the management has named "twenty in their teens."—adv.

NEWSPAPER PLANT DAMAGED.  
 Bellows Falls Times Partially Burned Out Wednesday.

Bellows Falls, Nov. 13.—Fire which started in the kitchen of the Boston Lunch in Times block about 6:30 yesterday morning spread to the second and third floors of that building and did damage amounting to between \$5,000 and \$6,000 before it was brought under control. The press and composing rooms of the Bellows Falls Times were gutted, and much material and paper were destroyed, including a portion of this week's issue of the Times, in process of publication, the newspaper press, and one linotype. W. C. Belknap, publisher of the Times, already has made arrangements for new equipment and will meantime his paper will be issued from another local printing establishment.

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