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A bottle can be obtained at any nearby drug store for fifty cents or one dollar. The latter size is more economical and is bought by those who have already convinced themselves of its merits. Syrup Pepsin users learn to discard pills, salts, cathartics and purgatives generally as they are too great a shock to any average system.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it postpaid by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 419 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it will do.

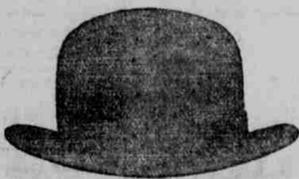
RAY COLLINS SIGNS

Vermonters Will Pitch for Red Sox for Two Years

Hot Springs, Ark., March 12.—Ray Collins has signed a Boston Red Sox contract for two years, and that means that the Vermont lad will pitch some great ball for Boston the

coming season.

The Federal league made a great effort to secure Collins, as he was the only Red Sox not under contract. As late as 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Collins was called to the long distance telephone and talked with Pres. Gilmore of the Federal league, who is at Shreveport, La.



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WILSON S. LOVELL

Wilson S. Lovell, retiring head of the state prison at Windsor has done a great deal for that institution and made it one of the very best prisons in the whole United States from the point of humanity and effort to aid rather than to cruelly punish the unfortunate inmates.

The Banner has had it in mind for some time to say a few words in appreciation of Supt. Lovell's work, but there has come to hand a rather remarkable testimonial that is worthy of being printed and preserved. In the course of a personal letter to the editor of The Banner Jerry Bradley, a life prisoner at Windsor has the following to say regarding Mr. Lovell:

"While I am sending you this letter, I wish to say a few words in regard to the break-up here. No one has asked me to say it either. It is that myself and about 200 other men here are sorry that Mr. Lovell is going to leave us. He has been a good and kind friend to us all and we can see that we are going to miss him, and miss him hard too. He has made many improvements in the comforts of the prisoners.

"For fifteen long years I could get just about half enough to eat and had to work like time in my cell to make a little money to spend for food. Since Mr. Lovell has been here I have had good clean food and plenty of it. He has done many things for the boys to help take the sting out of this prison life.

"I could write a large page of the improvements he has made for the men and have known him to dip down in his own pocket to spend money for the boys. Little the outside people know of the good that Mr. Lovell has done for the improvement of the men, but the prisoners on the job know and when I see you again, I am going to tell you a lot more he has done for his men. 200 prisoners are sorry he is going to leave us."

State Highway Commissioner C.W. Gates is coming to Bennington March 24 for a meeting of town road commissioners and selectmen. It has been suggested that it would be a good idea for the board of trade to arrange so that the visitors and as many local citizens as possible might have dinner together that day at the Putnam house. There need be no speaking at all but merely a dinner together which would result in better acquaintance, better understanding and better results.

The Banner has for publication a letter from Mrs. Annette W. Parmelee of Enosburg Falls relative to prisons and prison reforms in which she suggests the need of a board of pardons. Vermont had such a board once, but the law was found to be in conflict with the constitution and so was knocked out by the supreme court. The constitution of Vermont provides a board of pardons of one member, the governor.

The listers of all the towns of Bennington county are invited to attend a meeting at the courthouse on Friday, March 27 at which time Tax Commissioner Charles A. Plumley of Northfield will be present and discuss the problems and work of listing. Each lister who attends the meeting will draw pay for the day according to the provision of state law empowering these meetings for study and construction.

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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Young Men's Association for the election of officers will be held in the Library, Monday, March 16th, 1914. Polls open at 1 o'clock and close at 6 o'clock in the afternoon.
Fred C. Martin,
Recording Secretary,
Bennington, Vt., March 6th, 1914.

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Not Quite Fair
It is a wonder that Charles Thompson's letter to the chairman of the Maine Progressives, in which the third party in this state takes all the credit for the success of the direct primary at the referendum a week ago today should be permitted to pass unchallenged. It is granted at once that the Progressives worked hard and well for this particular measure after they had given it the cold shoulder in the legislature, but Mr. Thompson seems to forget that there has been direct primary agitation in Vermont for these many years and that Tuesday's result is the growth of a longer period than the life of the Progressive party. Othand one may mention Lieut. Gov. Frank E. Howe, who for years, through the columns of the Bennington Banner, has been preaching the gospel of the direct primary. Then there is Congressman Frank L. Greene, who as editor of the Messenger, was urging this new system years ago and confidently predicting the day when the state would turn to it. No one wants to deny the Progressives all the credit that is coming to them, but the same sense of fairness compels the consideration of those Republicans who have been striving for the same end for many years.—St. Albans Messenger.

"It Pays to Advertise"
Prof. Paul T. Cherington of Harvard University Graduate School of Business Administration says:

"Advertising to most of the world is known only by its means or form. We, the consumers, see portions of newspapers and magazines devoted to certain forms of pictures or reading matter in large or small type and we call it advertising. We see signs and cards and lights and colors, and we say that is advertising. And it is difficult for us to realize that these are only the means by which certain ends are being aimed at.

"The chief end of advertising is a sale. Perhaps it is an immediate sale, perhaps a repeat sale. Advertising does its perfect work when the sale is made.

"There are other ends, to be sure. To build up good will, to create a new demand, or to renew a former demand for goods.

"Perfect advertising should make each descriptive appeal create the same desire to buy that would be produced by offering the goods themselves. If, for instance, I were to advertise an article in a newspaper with 200,000 circulation with an average of three readers to each paper circulated, a perfect advertisement would have the same effect that I could draw by offering my article to 600,000 people. And so every glimpse of a billboard and every glance at a car card, would multiply by that much the appeal of the product itself.

"The clamor for honesty in forms of advertising, the search for knowledge about them and the striving for skill in using advertising—in short the demand for Truth which characterizes the Associated Advertising Clubs movement—can be explained only by a recognition of the fact that the result sought for in advertising is being appreciated at something like its real value.

"The consumer's interest in this fight for Truth in the means of advertising is thus made plain. If the manufacturer puts a roof on his factory and it does its work, the cost can readily be absorbed by the normal profits on the business. If he is obliged to pay a large amount for poor roofs which give no protection, the time is coming when either he will be obliged to put up the price of his product to get money to put on more roofs or go out of business.

"And so it is with advertising. Good advertising, which makes sales quicker and larger and easier, can be absorbed easily by the product without appreciable price increase. If the business is honestly and wisely run. But poor advertising can pay its own way only by fortune's chance. It is an economic waste as surely as if fire or any other destruction of value. Good advertising has nothing to fear. Dishonest advertising is going to be wiped out of reputable company, and the Associated Advertising Clubs of America are going to have a hand in its disappearance."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, rendered it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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