

RESIGNATION OF DR. H. D. HOLTON Efficient Secretary of State Board of Health

Wishes More Time to Devote to Personal Matters—Dr. C. F. Dalton of Burlington His Successor.

Dr. Henry D. Holton of Brattleboro, for many years secretary and executive officer of the state board of health, has announced his resignation of that office, but will continue as a member of the board.

At a meeting held Oct. 15 in Montpelier Dr. C. F. Dalton of Burlington was selected to succeed Doctor Holton as secretary and executive officer. It was largely through Dr. Holton's ef-

forts that the state board of health was established and his work in behalf of the general health of the state preceded by some time the formation of the board.

Dr. Dalton has been for a number of years city health officer at Burlington. He will enter upon his duties December 1, when Dr. Holton's resignation takes effect.

The correspondence between Dr. Holton and Dr. C. S. Caverly regarding the resignation follows:

"Brattleboro, Vt., Oct. 9, 1912. "C. S. Caverly, M. D., President State Board of Health: "Dear Sir:—I herewith present my resignation as secretary of the state board of health, to take effect upon the appointment of my successor. The labor it has been my pleasure to give to the duties of this office has been that of love, believing that there has been much accomplished by the board for the permanent improvement in all sanitary respects, upon this foundation there should continue to be developed much that will prevent disease and suffering, prolonging life with added blessings.

"Yours truly, "Henry D. Holton, Secretary."

"Montpelier, Vt., Oct. 16, 1912. "Henry D. Holton, M. D., Secretary of State Board of Health, Brattleboro, Vt.: "Dear Doctor: Your associates on this board learn with regret your determination to relinquish the office of secretary. In accepting your resignation we wish to record our appreciation of the untiring zeal and rare good judgment with which you have administered this office during the past 12 years. We feel that the public health interests of the state, and that means the people of the whole state, are permanently your debtors.

"Your services in this direction ante-date the establishment of a state board of health, in securing which you were very largely influential. Your work along these lines will be increasingly appreciated as time goes on.

"It is hardly necessary to remind you that the personal relations which have existed during these years between us have been uniformly of the pleasantest nature, and we are glad to think that these relations are not to be wholly severed for at least two years more.

"It is the understanding that your resignation of the office of secretary does not take effect until December 1 next.

"We deem it proper that this minute be recorded in the transaction of the board.

"F. Thomas Kidder, M. D. "Charles S. Caverly, M. D."

Dr. Holton's reason for resigning is that the duties of the office of secretary have multiplied until they have become a burden to him and he does not have the time which he desires to devote to his personal affairs. When he became secretary he was able to attend to his practice and to write his official correspondence with pen and ink. Now his state work requires the services of a stenographer constantly, with additional assistance a part of the time. Four years ago the state provided an inspector and an engineer, and these men have been kept busy.

Since he became secretary, Dr. Holton has spoken in about half the towns of the state and has visited many other towns. There has been a notable improvement in health conditions throughout the state, and the statistics of births, marriages and deaths are compiled in a card index in his office. There are about 15,000 cards in this index. When the secretary is through with them they are sent to the state library in Montpelier.

A striking testimonial to the efficiency of the secretary's work was given not long ago by government statisticians from Washington, who came to Vermont to speak by invitation of the state board of health. The records of vital statistics have to be furnished to the government. The speaker said that a few years ago Vermont stood 18th in the list of states with respect to the accuracy of the records, but that now it ranked third. Dr. Holton has brought the state up near the top of the list by constantly keeping after the physicians and town clerks, many of whom are exceedingly dilatory and careless about supplying the necessary data. Some of them are so heedless that it sometimes is necessary to invoke the assistance of the attorney general's office to enforce compliance with the law.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

Dr. Holton has had a unique career in connection with the board of health. In 1911 he was president of the Vermont Medical Society and in his annual address to that organization President Holton suggested the idea of a state board of health, and in accordance with his suggestion a committee consisting of Dr. Butler of Essex, Dr. Putnam of Montpelier and Dr. Holton were appointed to take this matter up with the legislature. The committee worked until 1886 before the act was finally passed creating the board of health. Previous to this time the bill would pass one body but die in the other.

JACKSONVILLE. Mrs. Francis Pike is working in Readboro for Mrs. Almada Brown. Grace Mitchell is doing the housework for Mrs. Wayne Fowler during the busy dressmaking season.

Mrs. Lynn Latta has gone to Vernon, where she is employed as nurse in the Budget factory. W. A. Bown has closed his house for the winter and has gone to Wilmington to live in M. E. Fry's house.

Mrs. Florence Millington's daughter, Hester, of Wilmington, visited Mrs. Millington's father, E. L. Fuller, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Brown were in Brattleboro Monday, making the trip with Raymond Roberts in his automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Adin Plumb of Greenfield called on relatives here Sunday, making the trip in their new automobile. About 20 attended the soiree at Mrs. Joseph Edgerton's last week and enjoyed the social gathering as well as the fine dinner.

A number of the young people visited Miss Carrie Begebeig Friday evening. Games were played and all enjoyed a social time. Miss Louise Temple and Miss Mary Brown of the Springfield business college were at home from Friday until Sunday afternoon.

The ladies' social circle will meet with Mrs. Frank Cross Thursday, Oct. 31. Dinner will be served by the ladies at noon. A. J. will be welcomed. Walter Chase is spending a few days here while enjoying a vacation at his home as baggage master on the Wilmington & Hoosac Tunnel railroad.

Floyd Russell and mother visited a few days recently at Henry and Fred Boyd's in Wilmington. While there he employed a trip in his automobile to the dam in Somerset. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Messer, who were married Saturday, are visiting relatives in town. Mrs. Messer, who formerly lived here, is remembered as Miss Clara Stetson.

The Young People's union will meet Sunday at 10:45 as usual. A good attendance is desired at this is the last meeting for a few weeks, as many of the young people are out of town. Eva Contois is working for Mrs. Charles Morse.

Chicken-pox is prevalent among the children in Readboro. It is supposed to have been introduced by a child who lived here, is remembered as Miss Clara Stetson. C. S. Goodnow is putting up another new building on his farm. Will Faulkner is doing the work.

Clinton Reed and bride of Warwick, Mass., were en route at Carl Wheeler's from Friday to Sunday. Mr. Carlisle of Bellows Falls was in town Tuesday in the interests of the International Harvester company. Mrs. Arthur Farrington is finishing the term of school in Readboro district that Annie Oaks left at the close of the sixth week.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of one of our town teachers, Miss Edith M. Hildreth, to Raymond Houston of Greenfield, Mass. H. A. Wheeler has stopped taking ferns, having gotten all that his buyer wants for this season. This buyer has said over \$1000 worth of ferns to pickers in this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Boyd have moved their household goods away from their son, Homer Boyd's, where they made their home for some time last year. Since last March they have lived with another son in Wilmington. The young people held their monthly dance in Green Mountain hall Saturday evening. The dancing was very enjoyable and music and a good time was enjoyed by all. The next dance will be in the form of a Halloween party Wednesday, Oct. 30.

There was a husking party at Archie Morse's Thursday evening, over 100 taking part in the jolly time, husking Mr. Morse's corn and partaking of the bountiful supper which the ladies prepared. After the supper dancing was indulged in until an early morning hour.

CHESTERFIELD, N. H. B. C. Thatcher has bought a fine driving horse. Mrs. F. S. Stone has returned to her home in Amherst, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Sewall F. Rugg are enjoying the week with friends in Keene, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Butler have returned from a three weeks' vacation at Elmhurst, Penn.

Lee S. Higgins will leave this week for an extended deer hunting trip in the northern part of the state. Mr. and Mrs. Grace A. Ware has been ill the past week. She and her husband are planning to spend the winter in California. Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo V. Jette will move into the house and care of Miss Augusta E. Pierce, whose health has been very low the past year.

We had the pleasure of listening to an excellent sermon Sunday preached by Rev. R. W. Warren, D. D., pastor of the Methodist church of Brattleboro. The price of lumber on the Pacific coast has increased almost \$4 a thousand feet since last December. The average mill price now stands at \$13.91. Since January 1 the amount of lumber shipped from the Pacific states was \$2,255,000 feet in excess of the amount cut.

SOUTH LONDONDERRY. Judge J. L. Martin was in town last week. Fred Valle shipped a carload of potatoes from this station on Tuesday. Mrs. Henry Slade of Manchester has been a recent guest at G. C. Robinson's. Mrs. E. N. Mason returned from her visit to Brattleboro and Poulton Friday.

A. E. Cudworth returned to New York Wednesday after spending two weeks in Vermont. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Melendy attended the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Dodge in Chester Monday. H. C. Benson of Wardboro has come to make his home with his son, D. L. Benson, and family.

Mrs. Levi Martin and Mrs. Anna Kimball of Winchendon, Mass., are visiting at W. L. Hunt's. Mrs. F. W. Churchill went to Morrisville, N. Y., Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Olive Chilton. Farmer's Grange served a chicken-pie supper in their hall Friday. It was much enjoyed and well attended.

Rev. A. W. Atwood moved into the new house on the 24th of October, and is preaching in the Methodist church. O. D. Parker shipped from this place on Monday 15 head of cattle, 27 calves, six hogs and 222 pounds of poultry. Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Landman are attending the State Sunday School association meeting in Burlington this week.

G. L. Smith took Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hall and Gladys to Wilmington and returned in his automobile on Sunday to visit. Twelve tickets were sold at this station for the excursion to New York last week. Among them was Mrs. Marcia Benson, who will go to Florida before returning.

Several members from West River lodge, No. 24, attended the annual meeting of district No. 30 in Wardboro on Wednesday. Mrs. J. W. Melendy of Bellows Falls attended the meeting. Four members from Hooker Woman's Relief corps, Mrs. Stella Bryant, Mrs. D. V. Hoggins, Mrs. Frank Melendy and Miss Mary Pierce, attended the district meeting in Bellows Falls on Wednesday of last week. G. L. Smith took the party in his automobile.

Anchor lodge, No. 9, F. & A. M., held their annual inspection Tuesday evening, which was made by D. D. G. M. Russell W. Blood of Townshend. Over 50 members were present, including Past Grand Master, George M. Bates, and members of Blazing Star lodge of Townshend, Mt. Lebanon lodge of Jamaica, Mt. Olive lodge of Chester and the lodge of the State of Vermont. The third degree was conferred on a candidate they repaired to Hunt's tavern, where a chicken-pie banquet was served.

LONDONDERRY. Mrs. C. M. Eames is visiting in Chester. Mrs. A. H. Wade is working at Harold Rhodes's a few weeks. Mrs. Galvin of Camillus, N. Y., is visiting her son, Dr. Galvin. Mrs. Eddy has gone to Brattleboro to stay with her daughter this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Shattuck picked ripe raspberries in their garden Oct. 19. Mrs. Lizzie Whitney of Troy, N. H., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hayward. A number from here attended the Sunday school rally in Windham Friday.

Clyde Wright was in Newfane two days as a witness in the Archie Bemis case. Fred Lyon of Chicago was a guest of his cousin, Hiland Sheldon, the last of the week. Mrs. Rose Pond of Keene, N. H., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shattuck, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Davis, who worked in the mill under my hand at Brattleboro, are staying with his father, L. C. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Burt Garfield and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Haseltine of Campello, Mass., were guests of L. D. Garfield the last of the week.

LANDROVE. Mrs. Merrill Walker is visiting at Josiah Whitney's. Mrs. A. D. Bates and little son are visiting in Albany, N. Y. Mrs. Mary Bemis is working for her sister, Mrs. Aaron Aldrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Stone visited at Hazel's last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dana MacDonald and three children are at M. D. Bates's. Carl Vestine hurt his eye badly recently while working in a mill. Elwin Harris has gone to Ludlow to work with his father, George Harris. Mrs. Leroy Woodard has a very sore foot caused by stepping on a rusty nail.

O. J. Estabrook of Bennington recently placed a monument on the grave of his father. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woodward of Boston are visiting his father, L. F. Woodward. W. Bebee of Manchester was in town Tuesday to set a monument on the grave of Worth Eddy.

L. F. Woodward is having extensive repairs made on his house, the work being done by a carpenter from Boston. Mr. Schourie of Bennington gave a lecture on the subject of "The Interests of Bennington County Improvement Association." The body of Herbert McGinn, who formerly lived with his parents in this town, was found in the water near the bridge. He was killed accidentally by being run over by a train. The funeral was here at the church, the pastor from Weston officiating.

WEST CHESTERFIELD, N. H. S. L. Stowell spent a part of last week with friends in Walpole. C. H. Andon has recently taken rooms in H. G. Smith's house. Mrs. O. R. Farr took the boat at Ferrisville Friday, en route for Springfield, Mass. District Deputy A. M. French and Mrs. E. M. French inspected Spofford Grange Saturday evening. Mrs. Elvira Davis has been visiting the past week with her son and his family in Greenfield, Mass.



The Single Damper is a simple and unassuming name for a wonderful invention; probably the most important improvement ever made in cooking stoves. It is operated by one movement of a knob upon the top at the back of the range. This knob has three plainly marked locations, "Kindle," "Bake" and "Check." Slide the knob to the proper point and the range does the rest. Simplicity itself and absolutely sure.

This Single Damper requires but one movement, yet that one movement regulates the fire and also the oven heat and does it better than can be done with two dampers; damper mistakes are impossible. All other stoves than the Crawford have two dampers and some have more, but the two-damper ranges are confusing. You never know when the dampers are exactly right. The Ash Hod instead of the clumsy ash pan is another Crawford trouble saver.

For Sale by P. FLEMING Brattleboro Agent WALKER & PRATT MFG. CO., MAKERS, BOSTON

Legal Notices.

ESTATE OF KATHERINE MILES. STATE OF VERMONT. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of Katherine Miles, late of Brattleboro, in said district, deceased, Greeting: At a probate court, holden at Brattleboro, within and for said district, on the 7th day of October, 1912, an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Katherine Miles, late of Brattleboro, in said district, deceased, was presented to the court aforesaid, for probate.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM J. FRANKLIN. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Westminster, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of William J. Franklin, late of Townshend, in said district, deceased, Greeting: Whereas, said court has assigned the 4th day of December next, for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order in said estate by publishing this order in that vicinity, in said district, previous to the time appointed.

ESTATE OF MILON F. PERRY. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Marlboro, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of Milon F. Perry, late of Wardboro, in said district, deceased, Greeting: At a probate court, holden at Brattleboro, within and for said district, on the 25th day of September, 1912, an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Milon F. Perry, late of Wardboro, in said district, deceased, was presented to the court aforesaid, for probate.

ESTATE OF W. STEWART PRATT. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Marlboro, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of W. Stewart Pratt, late of Brattleboro, in said district, deceased, Greeting: Whereas, said court has assigned the 26th day of October, next, for examining and allowing the account of the executor of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in The Vermont Phoenix, a newspaper published at Brattleboro, in said district.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM ROBERTSON. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Westminster, SS. The Probate Court for said district. To all persons interested in the estate of William Robertson, late of Hines, in said district, deceased, Greeting: Whereas, George C. Averill, administrator upon the estate of William Robertson, late of Hines, in said district, deceased, has filed his petition in this court setting forth the residue of the whole of the real estate of said deceased will be beneficial to the heirs and all persons interested in said estate, and for license to sell the same, and at the same time filed in this court what purports to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, and for probate of the same, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in The Vermont Phoenix, a newspaper published at Brattleboro, in said district.

ESTATE OF ALICE SHEA GLIDDEN. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Marlboro, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of Alice Shea Glidden, late of Dummerston in said district, deceased, Greeting: Whereas, said court has assigned the 26th day of October, next, for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in The Vermont Phoenix, a newspaper published at Brattleboro, in said district.

ESTATE OF JOHN C. ROBINSON. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Westminster, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Westminster. To all persons interested in the estate of John C. Robinson, late of Jamaica, in said district, deceased, Greeting: At a probate court, holden at Townshend, within and for said district, on the 24 day of October, 1912, an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of John C. Robinson, late of Jamaica, in said district, deceased, was presented to the court aforesaid, for probate.

ESTATE OF LUCY T. CABOT. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Marlboro, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of Lucy T. Cabot, late of Brattleboro, in said district, deceased, Greeting: Whereas, said court has assigned the 26th day of October, next, for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in The Vermont Phoenix, a newspaper published at Brattleboro, in said district.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. ESTATE OF ALBERT D. NASH. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Westminster, Commissioner to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Albert D. Nash, late of Townshend, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the residence of P. H. Rutter, in the town of Townshend, in said district, on the 24th day of March, next, from 2 o'clock p. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 24th day of October, A. D. 1912, is the time limited by said court for the presentation of claims against the estate of said deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, and the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912.

ESTATE OF PERMELLA M. MILES. STATE OF VERMONT. District of Marlboro, SS. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Marlboro. To all persons interested in the estate of Permelia M. Miles, late of Brattleboro, in said district, deceased, Greeting: At a probate court, holden at Brattleboro, within and for said district, on the 24th day of October, 1912, an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Permelia M. Miles, late of Brattleboro, in said district, deceased, was presented to the court aforesaid, for probate.

ESTATE OF A. A. MASON. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Westminster, Commissioner to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of A. A. Mason, late of Townshend, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the residence of P. H. Rutter, in the town of Townshend, in said district, on the 6th day of November, next, from 2 o'clock p. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 6th day of October, A. D. 1912, is the time limited by said court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Clear Policies Reasonable Rates General Insurance Agency GEO. M. CLAY Bank Block Brattleboro Vermont HORSES Harness, Carriages and Express Wagons for Sale Trucking, Moving, Livery and Teaming. Flat Street. Telephone 48-W. F. A. LARROW. AUCTIONEER A. W. J. WILKINS, Brattleboro. Wide experience. Terms reasonable.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring a large image of a man carrying a large fish on his back. Text: "It is probably due to uric acid in the system—the blood must be purified—the poisonous acid driven out and general health must be improved. Thousands testify that Scott's Emulsion rids the system of poisonous acid by enriching the impoverished blood, and its concentrated nourishment is converted into red blood corpuscles which drive out rheumatism. It is especially valuable to aged people." Includes a table of expenditures for state highway money.

Expenditure of State Highway Money. A compilation of payments to towns of Vermont by the state of Vermont for permanent highway work for the years 1911 and 1912, by the report of the state auditor indicates that the towns did a much larger work in 1912 than in 1911 and consequently the percentages of money paid out are increased. The following table shows the comparative amounts paid out in 1911 and 1912—

It is probably due to uric acid in the system—the blood must be purified—the poisonous acid driven out and general health must be improved. Thousands testify that Scott's Emulsion rids the system of poisonous acid by enriching the impoverished blood, and its concentrated nourishment is converted into red blood corpuscles which drive out rheumatism. It is especially valuable to aged people.

It is probably due to uric acid in the system—the blood must be purified—the poisonous acid driven out and general health must be improved. Thousands testify that Scott's Emulsion rids the system of poisonous acid by enriching the impoverished blood, and its concentrated nourishment is converted into red blood corpuscles which drive out rheumatism. It is especially valuable to aged people.

Advertisement for WEAVER HUB RUBBERS, featuring an image of a rubber shoe. Text: "This Winter WEAVER HUB RUBBERS. W. E. HASTINGS, P. H. RUTTER, Commissioners. 41-43"