

The Oldest Trust Company in Vermont
Ninety-Ninth Semi-Annual Statement
 OF
The Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Company
 January 1st, 1921

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans secured by First Mortgage \$2,628,581.92	Capital Stock \$100,000.00
Loans personal and secured by collateral 469,552.32	Surplus reserved 192,500.00
United States Bonds (Market Value) 419,685.00	Undivided Profits \$31,290.99
Public Utilities Bonds (Market Value) 172,835.00	Trust Fund Guaranty 55,752.72
Municipal Bonds (Market Value) 825,880.00	Deposits 4,447,267.44
War Savings Stamps 832.00	Treasurers' Checks Outstanding 35,128.14
National Bank Stock (Market Value) 57,700.00	90th Dividend 6,000.00
Cash on hand and due from Reserve agents 345,873.05	Extra Dividend 3,000.00
Trust Investments 224,047.07	Bills Payable 50,000.00
	Trust Funds 224,047.07
\$5,144,986.36	\$5,144,986.36

A Big Reserve Fund

We call especial attention to two things shown in the foregoing statement: First, the exceptionally large RESERVE FUND FOR THE PROTECTION OF DEPOSITORS, amounting to nearly HALF A MILLION DOLLARS, made up as follows:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus Reserved	192,500.00
Undivided Profits	\$31,290.99
Trust Fund Guaranty	55,752.72
Shareholders Liability (Not included in statement but a part of the security provided by law for depositors)	100,000.00
	\$479,543.71

Quick Assets

Second, the large amount of QUICK ASSETS—cash and bonds—which we constantly keep on hand:

United States Bonds	\$419,685.00
Public Utility Bonds	172,835.00
Municipal Bonds	825,880.00
War Savings Stamps	832.00
National Bank Stock	57,700.00
Cash on hand and due from Reserve Agents	345,873.05
	\$1,822,805.05

A Strong Showing

The unusually strong showing made by The Montpelier Savings Bank and Trust Company is the result of fifty years of sound management, careful investment and an ever present sense of responsibility to the thousands of depositors who have entrusted their savings or their business deposits to us.

The Montpelier Savings Bank and Trust Co.

"The Old Bank on the Corner," Montpelier, Vermont.
 Depository of the State of Vermont.

EAST BROOKFIELD

Be sure to come to the Weona social Jan. 21, held at the East Brookfield church. Hear an interesting program. Don't forget to bring your pennies, for supper is served on the European plan. Remember the date, Jan. 21.

Special for Saturday

Sugar, per lb.	9c
10 lbs. for	85c
Rolled Oats, 10 lbs.	45c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, two for	25c
Monadnock, White House and La Touraine Coffee, per lb.	38c
Seedless Raisins, pkg.	28c
Seeded Raisins, pkg.	28c
Pea Beans, quart	15c
Campbell's Beans, 3 for	35c
World Soap, 10 cakes	70c
Star and P. & G. Soap, 10 cakes for	75c
Brookfield Eggs, dozen	72c
Fine old Cheese, lb.	38c
Peanut Butter, lb.	25c
Quart Jar Honey	\$1.25
Pint Jar Honey	65c

All kinds of Meat at low prices.

T. C. McCarty & Son
 107 South Main St. Tel. 6-J.

Saturday Only

Fine Granulated Sugar, 10 lbs.	89c
Mealy Potatoes, peck	39c
Roast Beef, lb.	23c
Boiling and Stewing Beef, lb.	15c, 18c, 20c
Smoked Shoulder, lb.	23c
Fresh Shoulder, lb.	23c
Roast Pork, lb.	25c, 30c
Pork Steak, lb.	38c
Frankfurts, lb.	22c
Compound Lard, lb.	14c
Macaroni and Spaghetti, three pkgs.	25c
Sweet Corn, 2 cans for	25c
Rolled Oats, 10 lbs. for	45c
Granulated Corn Meal, 10 lbs. for	40c
Cream Cheese, lb.	35c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. for	33c
Evaporated Milk, 2 cans	25c
Good Soap, 6 bars for	25c
Lighthouse Soap Powder, pkg.	5c

B. P. Shadroui
 50 Brook St. Tel. 184-W.

Bargains for Saturday at Shadroui's Store

Potatoes, peck	35c
10 lbs. fine Granulated Sugar	85c
Western Round Steak	30c
Western Roast Beef	25c
Good heavy Chock Beef	22c
Good Bacon, in stripes, lb.	29c
Pure Lard	20c
Compound Lard	15c
World Soap, Babbitt's, Star, Naphtha, Arrow, Borax, Sunny Monday, all, 10 cakes for	72c
Clean Easy Soap 10 cakes	50c
Tall can Pink Salmon	17c
Tall can Libby Red Salmon	35c
Flat can Libby Red Salmon	40c
Fancy Head Rice, 2 lbs. for	25c
Cabbage, good, lb.	3c
4 lbs. Pop Corn, on cob	25c
4 cans Sardines for	25c
Lemons, dozen	20c
Oranges, doz.	25c, 50c, 75c
10 lbs. Rolled Oats	45c
10 lbs. Graham	45c
10 lbs. A. Oatmeal	50c
Nut Oleo, lb.	30c
Swift Premium, lb.	35c

and a good many other bargains. Call and see us. You will save money.

J. G. Shadroui
 115 So. Main St. Tel. 273-W.

Just One Day

10 lbs. fine Granulated Sugar	85c
Good Butter, lb.	58c
McLeod Butter, lb.	60c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, doz.	80c
Brookfield Eggs, doz.	75c
Soap, all kinds, cake	7c
Chase & Sanborn or White House Coffee, lb.	38c
Good Raisins, pkg.	28c
Cocoa, bulk, lb.	18c
Two cans good Corn	25c
Compound Lard, lb.	14c
Pure Lard, lb.	19c
No. 5 pail Comp. Lard	69c
No. 5 pail Pure Lard	98c
Pea Beans, lb.	8c
Good Roast Pork, lb.	28c
Pork Chops or Steak, lb.	30c, 35c
Western Round Steak, lb.	29c
Beef to boil, lb.	10c, 20c
Smoked Shoulder, lb.	19c
Salt Pork, lb. only	20c

Call in and try our prices and goods. Your dollar's worth every time at
Louis Romanos
 59 Prospect St. Tel. 348-W.

MARSHFIELD

Mrs. Andrew Corliss, 83, Died Jan. 12—Learned Esperanto After 70 Years.

Mrs. Andrew Corliss passed away Wednesday morning, Jan. 12, after an illness of several months, with hardening of the lungs, following an attack of bronchitis. She was born in Barre, 83 years ago and early in life united with the Presbyterian church at Barre Center, of which she was a lifelong member.

When quite young, she came to this town to teach school and most of her life was spent in this locality. Fifty-eight years ago she was united in marriage to Andrew Corliss.

She is survived by her husband and an only daughter, Mrs. George French of Rochester, N. Y., also one brother, John Bateholder of Lowden, N. H., and two sisters, Mrs. Mary J. Blair of South Peacham and Mrs. Isabel Morgan of Barre, also a sister-in-law, Mrs. Sylvia Bateholder of St. Johnsbury.

She was a woman of rare intellectual endowments and active in all good works. She mastered Esperanto through correspondence course after she was 70 years of age, receiving a diploma from Washington, D. C. She will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10 a. m. at the Congregational church.

Miss Shields of Groton was the guest of Mrs. Earle Smith over Sunday. Frank Phelps has gone to Lancaster, N. H., to work for the remainder of the winter.

The topic for next Sunday morning will be "The Two Kingdoms." There will also be an illustrated address for the children.

A pleasant meeting of the ladies was held with Mrs. Lucy Bemis Wednesday afternoon.

WELLS RIVER

In one of the slowest games of the season Woodville defeated Lisbon in the second game of the season by a score of 82 to 16. At no time after the first five minutes of play was Lisbon dangerous. After the first period they repeatedly made long shots for the baskets when they were not to pass to Watson, who played back field, was of no use at all. Veino at forward and Leavitt at guard did the best work. For Woodville Sweeney was high with 15 baskets, which beats the floor record. Carlson at center played a great game, scoring 18 points. Larty, who has only played a few games this year has easily added 25 per cent value to the team. The lineup:

Woodville: Lisbon
 Smith, Walker, r. f. Veino
 Sweeney, l. f. McDonald
 Carlson, c. Chamberlain
 Kirk, Taylor, lb. Watson
 Larty, lb. Leavitt

Baskets from floor: Smith, Sweeney 16, Carlson 9, Veino 5, McDonald 2, Chamberlain 4, Watson, Leavitt.

The Earl Brook post, American Legion, elected the following officers at its regular meeting held Wednesday evening: Dean Brock, commander; Russell Stinson Merton Miller, vice-commander; adjutant, Wendall Clark; treasurer, Hildreath; sergeant-at-arms, C. H. Lanphere.

Sixteen young people enjoyed a sleigh ride to East Ryegate to a dance on Wednesday evening.

Principal French has been confined to the house with a severe cold all the week. During his absence Superintendent L. D. Smith has taught some of the subjects. On Wednesday last the boys of the high school presented Mr. French a basket of fruit.

Miss George Miller has been employed at the Balsams, Dixville Notch, N. H., returned to the home of his son, Tim, on Monday last. On Wednesday he was taken to the hospital. For a long time he has been troubled with heart complications and this attack was very severe, from which it is doubtful if he recovers.

The older boys' conference for the state of Vermont was held in St. Johnsbury to-day. Those who attended from here were: Representing the high school, George Amidon, Harold Miller, Charles Wilson, Charles Grant; representing the Sunday school, Sam Stanley, Will Lindsay, Cliff Griswold.

NORTH FAYSTON

Mrs. G. C. Grandfield was in Burlington one day last week.

Mrs. George Miller of Waitfield is visiting Mrs. J. P. Boyce.

The Fayston home demonstration bureau met with Mrs. G. C. Grandfield Wednesday. Miss Mildred Boie, home demonstration agent, was present and the day was spent with sewing of different kinds. Mrs. Grandfield served a very homelike dinner, which was much enjoyed. There were 78 present and four new members were added. The next meeting is to be spent making dress forms.

Raymond Briggs, the Washington county agent, met the farmers of this community Wednesday afternoon at J. P. Boyce's. Ten men were present and a very profitable meeting was held. Plans were made for another meeting in February. J. P. Boyce was appointed chairman of the organization. R. B. Whalley of the poultry interests, L. H. Strong of the dairy work and Charles Mathison of potato work.

Mrs. R. B. Whalley is caring for Mrs. DeBoer of Waitfield.

RANDOLPH

Principal Rolling H. Barrett of the state agricultural school gave an interesting address at the Brotherhood meeting in the parish house last Monday evening. He took for his topic, "Hybridization of Plants and Grains," and made the subject full of interest to the seventy members present. The music for the evening was given by Miss Lucille Grant, vocal soloist, accompanied by Mrs. L. S. Brigham, pianist, and Mrs. Charles Wood and Stanhope Brigham as violinists. It is expected that Halo K. Darling of Chelsea will be the next speaker, and will speak upon matters connected with the legislature, especially proposals to amend the law concerning Sabbath observance.

At a meeting of Randolph post, American Legion, held last Thursday evening, the following officers were elected: Commander, E. C. Brownell; vice-commander, H. A. Hancock; adjutant, R. L. Johnson; finance officer, E. W. Austin; chaplain, Rev. Fraser Metzger; executive committee, F. C. Angell, J. P. Gifford, B. R. Madigan, M. G. Gould, E. H. McInyre. State Adjutant Allen Fletcher of Montpelier was present and gave an interesting talk on the condition of the Legion, and the work of this organization throughout the state.

Thirteen women eligible to become members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion met on Friday evening and organized an auxiliary with Mrs. J. P. Gifford as president; Mrs. F. C. Angell, vice-president; Mrs. R. L. Johnson, treasurer; Miss Mildred Hatch, secretary; Mrs. E. W. Austin, Miss Ruby Thayer and Mrs. J. H. Stehle as executive committee; Mrs. C. W. Danyow, Miss Ruth Thayer, Mrs. Floyd Hodgkins, Miss Ida Hatch and Mrs. Wiley as membership committee; Mrs. Gifford and Mrs. Austin delegates to the convention at Burlington, on Friday and Mrs. Floyd Hodgkins and Mrs. R. L. Johnson as alternates. The meetings will be held every third Friday evening.

During the absence of Roy L. Johnson at Montpelier, his home is closed and Mrs. Johnson is stopping with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Danyow.

Mrs. Olivia Fisher of Portsmouth, N. H., is at the home of Mrs. Homer White, while she is packing and disposing of the household effects of the late Mrs. E. S. Fogg. It is expected that the house will be sold later.

Harold Phelps, conductor at the Hood plant, has been in Boston for a few days on a business trip.

Mrs. Edward St. Lawrence underwent a serious operation at the sanatorium the last of the week, from which she is recovering.

Miss Miriam Angell has gone to Boston for a few days' stay with Miss Anna Sullivan.

Dr. Anna Degenring of Elizabeth, N. J., is being entertained by her sister, Mrs. E. C. Brownell.

Rev. Fraser Metzger spoke at Bellows Falls on the Congregational world movement and went from there to Chicago, where he attended a meeting of the national social service committee of the Congregational church, of which he is a member. Friday he will attend a meeting of the American Legion in Burlington.

Salt pork, our own pack, per pound. See special prices on barrel lots. F. L. Jerr's market, Randolph.

WEST FAIRLEE

M. M. Miller, 94, Works Every Day—Oldest Person in Town.

M. M. Miller, who resides on Blood brook, so-called, is seen now and then driving through the village. Mr. Miller is the oldest person in town, being 94 years old, and has never missed an election since he commenced to vote, and only one town meeting since he reached his majority, and that on account of a death in the family. He works every day and, while a man of much property, would put some younger men to shame along the line of labor.

The new schoolhouse in the north part of the town is rapidly nearing completion. It will easily be the best building in town.

Will Sage, who injured his eye while chopping wood, by a flying chip, has been to the Hanover, N. H., hospital and was told that he would never see again in that eye. Like some of the soldiers killed in the last battle, Mr. Sage had only one more stroke to take to drop the tree.

Pulpwood is moving to the railroad station very fast, although there is but a thin coating of snow in the road to do it on.

The funeral of Mrs. Hiram Kingsbury was held at the village church last Monday, with burial at Post Mills, where the family lot is located. Mrs. Kingsbury was a most estimable woman. The family were all at home when she died. She leaves a husband and two children, now of Boston.

C. C. Coburn, chairman of the selectmen, has been on the sick list the past week and is no better at this writing.

WASHINGTON

Next Sunday morning at the Universalist church in Washington, the pastor, Rev. C. A. Simmons, will preach a sermon upon the topic, "The Universalist Conception of Heaven and Hell." Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service. Sunday school at noon.

Coughs and Colds

Catarrh, Croup, Sore Throat Banished By Hyomei
 The germs of catarrh do not exist in the same atmosphere with antiseptic Hyomei (pronounce it Hee-oh-me). Breathe Hyomei and relief from catarrh, coughs, sore throat or cold will come in two minutes.
 Breathe Hyomei and that stomach straining belching in the morning will quickly disappear.
 Breathe Hyomei and kill the catarrh germs; heal the inflamed membrane, stop the discharge of mucus and prevent crusts from forming in the nose.
 Breathe Hyomei for a few minutes each day and rid yourself of contemptible catarrh.
 Breathe Hyomei—give it faithful trial and then, if you are not satisfied, you can have your money back.
 Hyomei is sold by Red Cross Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.

MI-ONA

Ends indigestion
 It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching and all stomach disease or money back. Large box of tablets at all druggists in all towns.

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TO-NIGHT
Bates Musical Follies
 In the Merry Musical Mix-up
"Bringing Home Father"
 Don't Miss This—You'll Cry With Laughter—Also
The Frame-Up
 With An All-Star Cast—and
 A SAPHHEAD'S SACRIFICE
Extra Added Tonight
GARTER Contest
 Some Fun
 Big Matinee To-morrow for the Kiddies.

Bijou Theatre
 Where Everybody Goes
 Presents for To-day Only
SHIRLEY MASON
 In the New Fox Feature
Merely Mary Ann
 From the Great Stage Success By Israel Zangwell—From
 Drudge to Social Queen—A Romance of Below
 and Above the Stairs—Also
 The Last Episode of THE VANISHING DAGGER
 and
 THE LATEST NEW SWEELY
 —TO-MORROW—
LYONS and MORAN
 IN
"The Path She Chose"
 PARK YOUR CAR, Comedy, and BRIDE 13

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Pure—and Very Best PEANUT BUTTER Guaranteed 25c Lb. Caries
 Exceptional Value—Sold Elsewhere for 50c to 60c
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