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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

The conference called by Gov. Prouty in
Montpelier recently shows that it is
time for the people of Vermont to wake
up and to right a wrong which affects
every household to a greater or less ex-
tent. As a result of this conference the
governor was empowered to appoint a
committee of five, to draft a bill to be pre-
sented to the next legislature, establish-
ing a system of weights and measures,
with suitable provisions for inspection and
the enforcement of the law.

The government investigation of the
subject which was started about a year
ago has been carried out in 26 states and
in 80 cities and it shows a laxity in nearly
all of the states which is surprising. In
Vermont the places visited were Burlington,
Rutland, Barre, Montpelier and St.
Johnsbury. The government agent found
that 40 per cent of the scales used in
these cities were inaccurate and that 88
per cent of these recorded short weights.

He also found that vegetables and fruits
sold in bulk were generally measured in-
correctly. It is a very unenviable dis-
tinction to be told that Vermont is the
greatest violator of short weights in but-
ter of any state in the Union, and that in
every group of 5000 people there is a loss
of \$1000 per year if all their butter is
bought in pounds. Gov. Prouty said in the
discussion that the question of weights
and measures was closely related to the
high cost of living, which is one of the
most serious problems which confronts
the people today. Some interesting testi-
mony was also brought out relative to the
prices which people pay for foodstuffs,
especially cereals and meats, which are
put in attractive packages and sold
for three times as much as the prices
charged for the same commodities sold in
the raw state. One unfortunate feature
of the situation which was revealed by
the conference is that Vermont is being
made the dumping ground for short
weight shipments which are shut out of
New York, Rhode Island and Massa-
chusetts by the rigid inspection which is
enforced in those states.

Gov. Prouty's commission will have an
opportunity to do the state a great ser-
vice by causing the law which is now
shall not only fix the system of weights
and measures, but provide for inspections
and the enforcement of the law. At the
present time many dealers are selling
goods short in weight without in-
tending to defraud. The right kind of
a law would correct this abuse and stop
deliberate petty frauds which amount to
a large figure in the aggregate.

The pure food law was an important
step in advance, and a fixed standard of
weights and measures, with proper in-
spection, should be closely allied with it.
Both measures are in accordance with the
trend of the times toward a square deal
for all.

President Emeritus Charles W. Eliot of
Harvard University thinks drinking is "in-
expedient" for the reason that "the man
who makes moderate use of alcohol on
Monday cannot do as well on Tuesday on
account of the alcohol which he took on
Monday." That the use of alcohol in any
form shortens a man's life and reduces
his capacity for good work is generally
admitted, and the practice of steadily
growing among the railroads and other
employers of labor to draw the dead
line against men who indulge in liquor.
The hope of the temperance cause in the
future must rely fully as much upon the
advantages of conservation and efficiency
as upon ethical and moral grounds.

William E. Chandler, former United
States senator from New Hampshire, who
has always been a pugnacious individual,
is now attacking the railroad interests in
the politics of his state. In a recent pub-
lic statement he rejoices that New Hamp-
shire "has measurably freed herself from
the domination of her politics, her legis-
lature, her executive officers and her
judges by the railroad power in Boston."

"But," he adds, "it remains for her to
show that she will not pass into the own-
ership of the railroad power in New
York." To this end he urges the nomina-
tion and election of Robert B. Bass of
Peterborough for governor, assuring the
voters of the Granite state that Mr. Bass
has never taken any railroad passes from
Mr. Tuttle and "will not take the money
or passes of Mr. Mellen." While Vermont
is wrestling with the problem of several
gubernatorial candidates events are so
shaping themselves in New Hampshire
that Mr. Bass is likely to have a clear
field for the nomination.

Prof. Goldwin Smith, 68, one of the
most distinguished educators and pub-
licists of modern times died Tuesday,
June 7, in his home in Toronto, Ont. He
had been falling since February when he
sustained a fractured hip by falling on
a floor in his home. He was a native of
Reading, England, and was educated at
Eton and Oxford. He filled professorships
in Oxford and in Cornell university
and for the last 40 years had made his
home in Toronto. He spoke fearlessly
for the Union cause in the Civil war al-
though the British Liberals sided with
the South. For many years he advocated
the annexation of Canada to the United
States.

A BOYS' SCHOOL.

The action of the trustees of Vermont
academy in deciding to make that institu-
tion a boys' school exclusively beginning
with the fall term this year is being gen-
erally commended. In this connection at-
tention is called to a recent article by
Prof. J. E. Armstrong of the Englewood
high school, Chicago, on "The advantages
of limited sex segregation in the high
school." This paper was read before the
Central Association of Science and Math-
ematics in the University of Chicago. It
is an able and exhaustive treatment,
based on careful investigation. The con-
clusion Prof. Armstrong reaches is as fol-
lows:

"I fully believe I am justified in the con-
clusion that the segregation of the sexes
during the first and second year of high
school holds more boys in school, greatly
improves their scholarship, and removes
from them the feeling of unfair compar-
isons due to differences in degree of ma-
turity of children of the same age, but
opposite sex; and that the possibility of
adapting the work to the needs of each
sex will make it easy to train each sex
for a higher degree of efficiency."

The Youth's Companion recently dis-
cussed the question of the subject of co-
education thoughtfully. The subject of co-
education or segregation, in which it re-
cognized the difference in the natural trend
of the minds of the two sexes. A part of
its statement is given herewith:

"Recent action in two eastern colleges
in abandoning coeducation revives the
question whether the subjects studied in
college and the methods of teaching them
should be the same for boys and girls.
Coeducation seems to work better in the
West than in the East, a fact which may
be explained by the comparative youth of
the western institutions. Difficulties may
increase as time goes on.