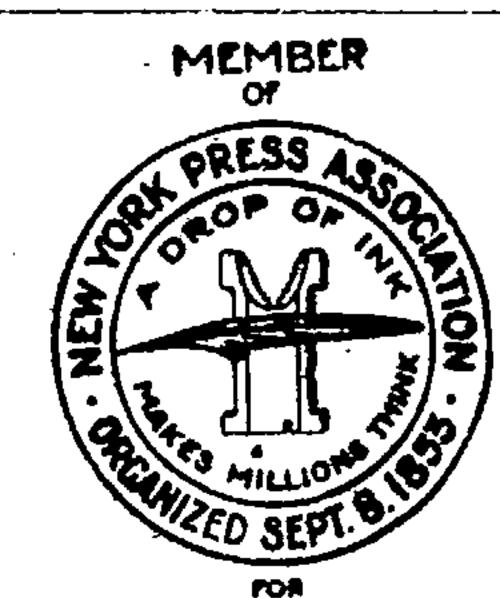
ANDOVER NEWS

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OUR KEYNOTE: "If There is Not a Way, Cut a Way."

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The State Abdicate

THEN complaint is heard about the failure to enforce his selling price and the final purchaser is the one who prohibition, it is well to remember that the re- bears the burden. poses have abdicated their self-government.

ton was supreme and all lesser authority bowed in sub- tion. mission because centralized power was deemed neces-, sary in the war emergency.

But the war is over. The actual function of the federal government in prohibition enforcement relates TALY, the eleventh nation to fund its debt to the to the control of smuggling, of major sources of supply of the proper handling of industrial alcohol, etc. It is the duty and obligation of every state to use the police of its local and state organizations to suppress the bootlegger, the small moonshiner and the

keeper of blind tigers. Prohibition will never be the success it should be sum of money. until state and local authorities take their responsibilities seriously and do not use the federal organization as an alibi.

The Battle Still Rages

GRATEFUL nation lately gave expression to A gratitude on the anniversary of the ending of hostilities in a war that was to supposed to end war. The American people are happy in the knowledge. that war has passed and that there is now no danger,

To 26,430 veterans of the World War, the conflict still continues, but it is a battle for life. This number I represents the ex-service men still in the fifty-one Veterans' Bureau hospitals. But it does not include a countless others who have suffered immeasurably tho. they never entered a hospital.

A few of the former service men were discharged fate. Others are winning their long fight for health,

since the war. Some of the first cases of disfigurement, Washington one veteran has been operated on 49 times

Vocational training has fitted 109,690 ex-service men to compete in industrial activity. Rehabilitation of these veterans who suffered from the war cost the government \$6,020,000.

ernment is paying an average of \$12,500,000 monthly has been put in some quarters on the advisability c to the former service men who were partially or wholly eliminating a tax on incomes up to \$5,000. disabled, and to their dependents.

To the dependents of these heroes Uncle Sam vested in tax-exempt

There are now more than 12,300 World 12.

War veterans being treated for mental diseases caused mostly by shell shock and fever,

tune made.

Will It Be a Warning?

AN OHIO state roads a white cross is erected for every U person killed in automobile accidents at the spot where the accident occurred.

Motorists soon learn, the not familiar with the meaning of the crosses, the significance of the silent danger signals. But will they be a warning? Will these somber tokens of death stop the speed-crazed driver who thinks

neither of himself, or of those in other cars? Surely the sight of a white cross at the roadside near a dangerous curve or beside a railroad crossing. ought to make some impression. It ought to bring a vision of crumpled bodies and wreckage, and a personal the car just ahead. application of the consequences if care and caution

are not exercised. But after seeing the results of some accidents and time for washing dishes. reading of the carelessness of drivers that leads to death, one may well wonder whether anything short of an iron gate will keep some automobile drivers off rail- has a wife and children to support, road tracks when trains are approaching—or whether ity's business.

Every now and then a woman marries a man t zeferm him and the judge writes the last chapter.

Automobile Taxes

THE decision of the house ways and means committee to reduce the federal tax on what it calls "pleas-'ure cars" from five to three per cent. will have a popular reaction among the people.

If the house as a whole will concur in this recom-is tirely eliminate it, the senate will follow the house's But the fact that the ways and means committee

ill report its bill with this provision is no assurance hat it will be in the measure when it finally becomes it a law, so that there is really no reason for celebrating

Nearly everyone will agree-for all who have no 'itomobile expect to own one some day-that the tax n "pleasure cars" is an unjust tax. The term "plea-Thre car" is a misnomer because there are comparativey few automobiles in this day of rush and hurry that are used strictly for pleasure purposes. As a general rule, an automobile, altho it is a _

means of providing pleasure, is a service vehicle that could scarcely be dispensed with. It is pressed into la daily use by most owners in transacting business. It is an ever-ready aid in saving valuable time going from blace to place and thus becomes a very essential factor in the life of the American people. The "pleasure car" tax is unfair for other reasons.

was levied as a manufacturer's tax. The framers! of the first tax bill so intended it. But instead of absorbing the tax, the manufacturers passed it on to the Thus it is with most excise taxes. The consumer i ultimately pays the bill because the manufacturer has only to add it to his cost price, the retailer adds it to

sponsibility has largely been placed on the federal gov- Automobiles are already too heavily taxed, with ernment and many of the states to all intents and pur-the local property tax, the registration or license plate fees, in addition to the gasoline taxes in many states. There is a regretable tendency to depend on the The automobile owner deserves more consideration and government for everything. This is traceable in some the attention he will get in the next session of congress measure to the war, when the government at Washing- indicates there will be some improvement in the situa-

United States, has agreed to pay this country \$2,407,-1000,000, which includes interest. The payment will be

Almost a lifetime seems like a long time to pay off a just debt, but \$2,507,000,000 is also a considerable. There may be some criticism of the favorable terms granted by the American debt commission, which

ncluded passing of the interest for the first five years. 1. but the commission undoubtedly has to take into conideration, in settlement, the nation's ability to pay. In any event, arrangements for eleven of Ameria's twenty war debtors to fund their debts is something. If we had followed the advice of a small minor-, in this country, we would have graciously burned | op the notes and told our European allies that the

late was wiped clean. But the nation was saved from this termination of he debt question, to which such mock sentimentally

There never was any reason why Europe should ot pay for her folly. The World War was the natural limax of blunder.ng statesmanship and century-old 'atreds that political and business leaders had kindled | and finally fanned into flames.

There is no more reason why a nation should not debt, he has to pay or be hauled into court. If he returned against him and suit may be entered to pay Men can't escape debts.

Reducing Income Taxes

Another group believes that better results would,

Thru the establishment of a "sinking fund" the terests of the country would be served by cutting down ever, showed that all such questions is nru the establishment of a shiking fund the the surtax rate so that dormant capital would be brought. The desire of President government plans to pay former service men about the surtax rate so that dormant capital would be brought. The desire of President government plans to pay former service men about back into business channels and would be available for that a Wilson stamp be issued was

their war on wealth. They insist that reducing the sur-that the tribute would be paid as This is far from the truth. Wealth has a way of will be generally approved.

taking care of itself. When the high surtax levies were. imposed, the rich invested their money in the securities of states, counties and cities. The supreme court has held the federal government cannot tax them. The results is that hundreds of wealthy people are,

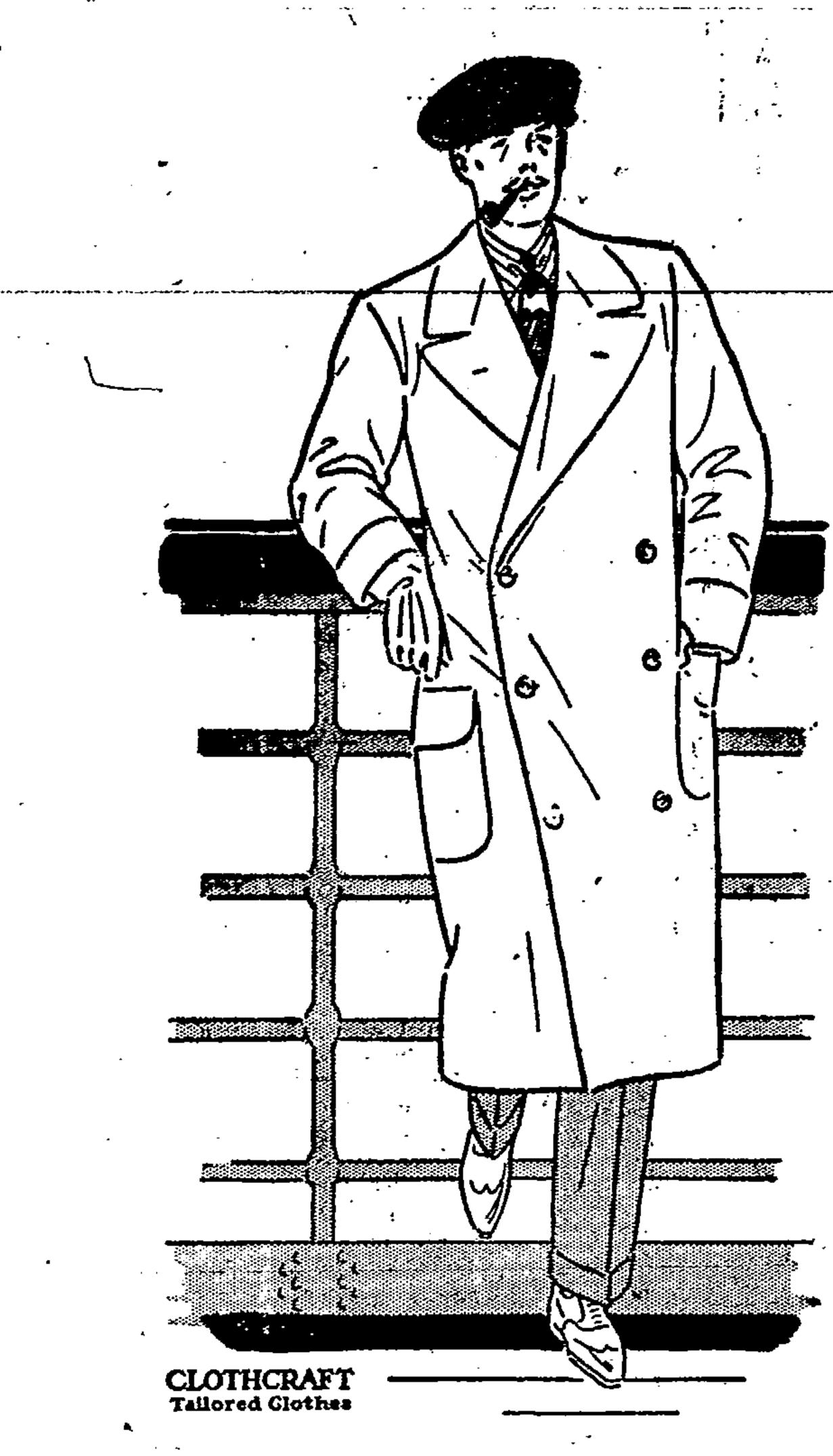
paying only a trifling sum to the government and the small-salaried man is paying the bulk of the income, duction for taxes will not be enough to make indus-'trial securities less inviting than tax-exempts.

\ lame_excuse often gets a long way even th

The biggest road problem we have is how to pass. Having a beautiful complexion doesn't leave much

f a man won't work, that's his business:)

Some people find it as hard to stay married as it was to stay single.



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Woodrow Wilson that a postal stamp

soon as possible. Undoubtedly it

Loses Lots of Beer Sheriff W. B. Page, Undersheriff Hardenbrook and federal agents swooped down on Corning recently and succeeded in uncovering plenty of wet goods. A Plum Alley estabtity of alleged wine destroyed after V. O'Connor were visited in the order named, the former losing his! automobile and a quantity of al-|F leged spirits. Mr. O'Connor watched the destruction of 54 half barrels of alleged beer as it was poured in ' the sewers by the raiding party, act-1' ing upon orders from the federal of. fice in Buffalo.

Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Education of Andover High School Dist. No. 1, for the work shop, formerly owned by Wm. S. Clarke. All bids must be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Education on or before the 30th day of November, 1925. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids. Dated

FLOYE G. LEVER, Sec'y.

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Che Burrows National Bank

MAIL CLOSING Train No. 1,000 9:15 A. M. -Mrs. Margaret Garvin is ill &

5:50 P. M. James M. Dean. Office Closes

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays thesda hospital, Hornell, where she from his aunt and lit out-Cuba and Fridays at 6:00 P. M. Wednesdays and Saturdays at the week.

LOCAL

-Thanksgiving. --Roland Stevens is driving new Oakland coach.

be thankful for this year---"Count

Your Blessings." The Five Hundred Club was entitheesman are pleased to learn that of Alfred Station have erected four nurse in charge. storing sand.

the evening division of the King's his with ease, and that Mr. Brun-Daughters of the Presbyterian church dage is gaining in health finely in the warmer climate.

Friday morning. Mrs. Hattie Eggles- which he did.

-The barns on the Henry Steg, manufacture of this new devise. Rochester and it is not known how den farm, formerly the A. L. Chase

the fire started unless carelessly set estate, for an oil well. The location by hunters. It is said that only two- is in the gully just east of town thirds of the insurance is collectible across from the dug road milkman, George Vickers sprung a present location for Dan Collins and on Andover people. It is a very neat -The stores and repair departand nifty job. The body painted in ments of the Division Offices of the gray and the wheels in dark red. State Highway Department are be-

the cause. Altho the truck was loaded, nearly all the stuff was removed at the Presbyterian church, Wednes-

Train No. 7 10:00 A. M. County Pomona Grange will be held south. All to no avail. Then, it Train 1,601 5:45 P. M. at Angelica, December 3rd and 4th. charged, he forged his -Mrs. Gates Saunders is in Be-I name to a check, stole some money

underwent an operation the last of Patriot. versity of Rochester.

will be the teller at Cuba National a hand on the farm. A good farm . Mr. Gere resigned his posi- dog is of inestimable value. A poor the "Corner Grocery of Cu-lone is a detriment. Mr. Boyd tel

ers ias bought the old Shongo grist Presbyterian church. in the town of Willing and will!

-- The many friends of Mrs. J. tertained at the home of Mr. and she is gaining from her operation I am prepared to do all Knives, Kitchen Knives, Shears, Razors, etc.

Brundage made the trip to Califor- Bring one day and get the next LEONARD RUSCITTI

__The Department of Farms & ferred, by the company, to St. Au- The parents of Herman Moyer, Creek, have received word that he team are the County Champions this accident in Buffalo, where he has

year. The Cuba team having an been staying recently. He was rid-Saturday they trimmed the struck by a street car. Wellsville High School team at Cu- in a Buffalo hospital. __Announcement has been made -Three Olean youths wearing Ox- that the Air Preheater Corporation ford bags were surprised to find has purchased the James Howden &).

the entire factory will be used in t Whitesville News: The location Hos been made on the J. A. Critten. on account of the family's absence. Spring Mills road. A well was drill-

On the top on either side is the word- ing moved from Hornell where they ing, "Lake View Dairy Farm, Geo. have been located for ten years or J. Vickers, Prop." -A large truck, valued at \$800 ganized to a building at Horseheads, longing to Harry Potter of Wells- Liev. Gov. Seymour Lowman ville, used as a food express between generally credited with this stragetic). Olean and Wellsville, was destroyed move to benefit his locality. by fire recently at Belvidere. The fects considerable business and emback fire from the motor is given as ployees in Hornell. -Apron sale and chicken dinner

and all suspected cases are being camp. population gain during the past five Erie train No. 26. The ladies startyears of 2,455 and has reached a ed to attend the session at Alfred

compared with 20,506 in 1920. -Friends gathered at the farm at Ceres on Tuesday afternoon, No- believing that four cows have died vember 10th, to celebrate the 50th on his farm as the result of efforts Methodist minister, Mr. Leach has the stomachs analyzed. All were spent nearly his entire ministry in discovered dead in the pastures. Afcounties and Northern Pennsylvania. stomachs but nothing was He was at one time pastor of the

with a population of: 21,822,

-Mike Lane, a Cuba youth about 18, is probably on his way to -Miss Ena Madison is improving Florida-if the police haven't come 26 2:00 P. M. the home of her daughter, Mrs. go to the land of Ponce de Leon. -The next session of Allegany get a job driving somebodys'

-"Dick" Hamil of Cuba has re- issue of the News, will be found an moned and gave them prompt medi-JOHN COMMON, P. M. | cently been made captain of the advertisement for Wallace Boyd. | cal attention.

-After December 1, Frank Gere, nearly as bad for a farmer as losing ! boile acid when they broke into the Andover's best farmers by notifying

: ! lock drug store of Cuba last him or the News. Clyde Ackerman of Yorks Corn- gifts on sale December 2nd at the

> GRINDING kinds of grinding-Butcher

Work Done by Expert

and steps have been taken to safe. Fort great difficulty in getting their

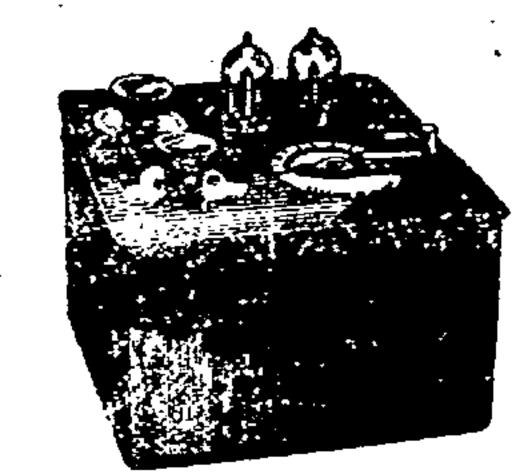
-Four Andover ladies enjoyed a restful hour Saturday afternoon on the Station of the Bible School convenbetween 1915 and 1920. Official for which it was necessary to send, langures by Florence E. S. Knapp, to Hornell for help. When it be-Secretary of State, credit Olean came too late for the meeting the ludies climbed from the waiting train and came back to Andover by the "old reliable" state highway route. -Frank O. Hargan of Rexville,

As a of some malicious person, is having Foreign matter was found, howeve

n the stomachs of each. -C. J. Amsden, manager and Ed Mike felt die Beckwith and H. H. Sortore, emovercome by fumes from the 'exhaust of the gas engine, Thursday

which was closed tightly, when they were overcome by the gas fumes. —In the classified columns of this Dr. T. H. Hullett was hurriedly sum-

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