

### WASHINGTON LETTER.

(By Clyde H. Tavenner.)  
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The Courier.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The battle to oust William Lorimer of Illinois from the United States Senate promises to be one of the historic fights of the upper Chamber.

If the Lorimer scandal does nothing more than to educate the people to the wisdom of election of senators by direct vote, it will have been well worth while.

The standpaters in the Senate have up to this time successfully chloroformed every bill or resolution which was tended to pave the way for the election of Senators by direct vote.

In 1908 Senator Owen of Oklahoma introduced Senate Resolution No. 91, for the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for direct elections.

Senator Owen showed that 27 states had at that time sought relief in the matter. Resolution No. 91, however, was never reported from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, but was chloroformed there.

This is the committee, by the way, which found that Lorimer's election was without taint of any kind.

On May 31, 1910, Senator Owen again urged this reform on the attention of the senate, and was even prevented the privilege of a vote.

Yet the House of Representatives on four different occasions had passed a bill providing the reform—July 21, 1894; May 11, 1898; April 13, 1900, and Feb. 13, 1902, the last vote unanimously, no one opposing.

Most of the states in the union have acted favorably to the election of senators by direct vote, the exceptions being the New England states, New York, Delaware, and West Virginia.

The national democratic party, the national prohibition party, the national people's party, the American Federation of Labor, the National Grange, the Society of Equity, the Farmers' Educational Co-operation Union, and other great organizations of the country have declared for the reform.

Senator Owen points out these advantages of the direct vote on senators:

1. That it would prevent deadlocks in state legislatures.
2. That it would compel candidates to be subjected to the severe scrutiny of a campaign before the people and promote the selection of the best qualified men.
3. That it would prevent interference with state legislation by violent contests over the senatorships.
4. That it would prevent improper use of money and the corruption of legislatures.

So far the Senate has refused to pay the slightest heed to these reasons. The senate committee on privileges and elections, now practically discredited because of having endorsed Lorimerism, refused to even report resolution 91 to the Senate. But it is doubtful if the senate can suppress the matter much longer. Public sentiment on the question is getting too hot. The people are getting interested.

Washington, Jan. 17.—That Lorimer, of Illinois will be unseated as a member of the United States Senate, because his election was aided by "corrupt practices," is a conviction that is gaining ground.

The evidence that "corrupt practices" were resorted to is so simple and positive that but few senators have the nerve to try to make the public think otherwise. Many members of the Senate who had intended voting for Lorimer's retention were under the impression that the entire controversy was more or less complicated, and that it would be a master of comparative ease to find some excuse for supporting Lorimer.

But it has been shown so conclusively by Senators Owen, Beveridge and Crawford that money was paid for votes for Lorimer, that many of the senators who had intended standing by him, have decided to desert him. It would not be surprising if

at the finish Lorimer should find himself deserted by friends and enemies alike. This is likely if it is known for a fact that the opposition has enough votes to defeat him. Not even special privilege servers have any heart to fight for a lost cause.

By voting for Lorimer after it is certain he is to be defeated the members of the old guard only still further discredit themselves with the people and thus impair their usefulness to the big interests.

"If public sentiment against Lorimer gets much stronger," declared a progressive republican member of the House, "I would not be surprised to see the Republicans flee from Lorimer like rats from a scuttled ship."

One of the chief reasons why Lorimer may be ejected is because in so many of the states senators seeking re-election must take their chances in the primaries.

The senators from the states where they have no direct senatorial primary laws, including those from New England and from Pennsylvania, are for Lorimer. With few exceptions the senators from the states where senators are elected in the primaries are against Lorimer.

The senate committee on elections is being revealed in an unseemly light as a result of a closer examination of its report by progressives than was at first made. Senator Crawford of South Dakota pointed out instances after instance in which the committee, striving to bolster up its conclusions in favor of Lorimer and bribery, quoted from the testimony, but omitted from the quotations all statements which did not serve their purpose.

Senator Crawford called attention to the omission from the record of a telegram which formed a strong part of the circumstantial evidence against the bribe-givers and the bribe-takers and he asked that some member of the committee explain why it had been left out. The only member of the committee who attempted any explanation was Senator Gamble. He said that he had himself noticed the omission and was at a loss to understand it.

In addition to these grave charges, so seriously reflecting upon all the members of the elections committee who signed the report in favor of Lorimer, Senator Crawford also charged that instead of seeking to ascertain the truth respecting the corruption, which none could effectively deny, the committee, as disclosed by its report had sought to turn its investigation into a prosecution of the legal officers of Illinois who had revealed the corruption and brought proceedings against the guilty men.

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**Pure Gold.**  
Under the heading, "New Year Nuggets" philosopher Camp of the Gaffney Ledger hands out the following:

- Start right.
- Wind up right.
- Keep to the right.
- Resolve and right about.
- Don't sham, but be real.
- Be content with the little you have.
- Think evil of none, but well of all.
- Keep busy in order to be healthy.
- Consistently add to what you have got.
- Undertake something good and stick to it.
- Advertise from the start and make business thrive.
- Have push and get up and show that you're alive.
- If you break your resolve, don't give up in despair.
- Redouble your efforts, show manliness there.
- Break away from bad habits, evil companions and vile books.
- Cultivate courtesy, kindness, cheerfulness, carefulness and promptness.
- Aim to be something, to do something, get something and keep something.
- Keep your word, keep out of debt.
- Keep good company, keep your own counsel.
- Don't kick, don't grumble, don't criticize your brother's shortcomings, but smile at your obstacles and be gracious and forgiving.

**Escaped With His Life**  
"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harroton, S. O. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it sure enough. I tried everything I could hear of for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. O. for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure. It's positively guaranteed for coughs, colds, and all lung troubles. 50c & \$1.00. Trial bottles free. Sold everywhere." W. L. Martin, Druggist.

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### RELATIVE EFFECT AND COST OF WAR AND DISEASE.

**Health Talk No. IV.**

Idea to be presented—(a) War a lesser foe of man than disease. (b) Our greatest effort directed against the lesser foe.

The ratio of mortality in war, for two hundred years, has been 4 from disease to 1 from bullets. In the Mexican and Civil Wars this ratio was 3 to 1. In the Boer War the ratio was 7 to 1. In the Spanish American War, owing to the lack of sanitary authority, this ratio reached its maximum—14 to 1. In the Russo-Japanese War, where the laws of sanitation were enforced with rigid military discipline, the ratio of centuries was reversed, and the mortality was 1 from disease and 4 from bullets.

More lives are lost each year in the United States from preventable disease than have been lost in all our wars combined—Indian, Revolution, War of 1812, Mexican, Civil, and Spanish-American. In the Spanish-American War about five soldiers died from typhoid fever to every one killed by shot and shell.

The United States mustered a hundred thousand soldiers to rid Cuba of the Spaniard, and sent three men to Cuba to rid the island of yellow fever, the plague of the tropics. The Spaniard was driven out and yellow fever was conquered. The city of Havana from 1850 to 1900, suffered an annual average loss of 750 lives from this disease. In addition, there was an annual average sickness from this disease of 2,250 others. The financial loss through the destruction of productive energy from death and sickness, from diminished trade as a result of the prevalence of a fearful epidemic, and from expensive and unnecessary quarantine, amounted to an annual average loss of over \$200,000. Since the discovery of the easy method of controlling the disease—that is, since 1900—there has been an annual average of only four deaths from yellow fever in Havana. Most of these cases contracted the disease elsewhere and developed the fever after visiting Havana. Commerce is no longer afraid to enter this harbor, even when a case or two of Yellow Jack (there are never more) exists. No more expensive and unnecessary quarantine burdens the taxpayers. And, as in Havana, so in Rio de Janeiro, the Canal Zone, and elsewhere. Major General Leonard Wood has said that the discovery of the method of controlling this disease saves the commercial interests of our country each year more than the entire cost of the Spanish-American War.

Disease is far more costly than war, and the results of disease prevention more humane and more valuable to the race. And yet, of the total annual expenses of our national government for 1909, \$800,000,000, \$560,000,000 or 70 per cent went for pensions, and the army and navy, or for wars past and wars anticipated; only 3 per cent was spent directly and indirectly for health, and only 1 per cent was spent directly for health. Our own State government is spending two dollars for military equipment to one for public health—not too much for our three regiments, but too little for people's lives.

**The Greater Youth's Companion.**  
Since its enlargement by the addition of an amount of reading in the year equal to four hundred ordinary magazine pages, The Youth's Companion can offer even a wider range of wholesome entertainment than ever before; but the character of the paper's contents remain the same, and the subscription price, \$1.75, is unchanged.

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### FARMER'S STAND FOR GOOD ROADS

Not only is old "Kentuck" to give a million dollar bond issue for state aid for good roads to the various counties in the Blue Grass State, but Indiana has a move on that sounds like progress in that progressive state.

The Indiana State Farmers' congress at a recent meeting went on record in favor of road improvement.

It was recommended that a levy of one-fourth of a mill be made, to be used in support of the highway commission and to furnish a fund to aid in the construction and maintenance of roads.

The passage of a graduated vehicle tax for the same purpose was urged and the Governor and the Legislature were asked to consider the question of using county, city and State prisoners in building roads "as is done in other States."

The Courier Journal in referring to this important move on the part of the Indiana farmer says:

The Farmers' Congress of Indiana is to be commended for the attitude it has taken. Nobody in Indiana should be more interested in the construction of good roads than the agricultural classes. No class suffers so much from the lack of good roads as do the farmers. Those who live in rural communities must needs use the roads and if the roads be bad those who use them must pay a continuous tax that, in the long run, is decidedly more expensive than would be the cost of improvements and maintenance.

All farmers do not realize that they are paying this tax, but the progressive farmers of Indiana seem to understand it fully. More than that, they appear to be determined to bring about a change. And they will have good roads in due season. Legislatures are quick to respond to the demands of organized farmers, and it may be confidently predicted that Indiana will get the sort of road law that she wants in the next General Assembly.

**Eject the Doctor but Take His Medicine.**  
Colonel William J. Bryan isn't saying much now, but to a man up a tree, taking in the situation, Bryanism is walking away with New Nationalism, which in part, if not largely, gets its inspiration from the principles and paramounts originating with the Nebraskan. It is both curious and amusing to observe how newspapers and politicians who held up their hands at the idea of Bryanism, unwittingly but positively running over themselves to swallow it under other names or at other hands than those of the Nebraskan.

It is true, nevertheless, and we are just saying so because we notice it. We don't ever rejoice over it altogether, but it amuses a looker-on in Vienna to see folks imbibing, seemingly without knowing what the thing is they are swallowing. They talk anti-Bryan but are taking his medicine all right—sometimes under another label, sometimes ill disguised, and now and then prescribed at the hands of a doctor who borrows philippics and sooner or later gets credit for their originality. Have you noticed it? If you haven't you are not keeping up with the marathon of events—Wilmington Star.

For either acute or chronic kidney disorders, for annoying and painful urinary irregularities take Foley's Kidney Pills. An honest and effective medicine for kidney and bladder disorders. Standard Drug Co.

**Champ Clark on Education.**  
Representative Champ Clark, the speaker-to-be of the house, told the periodical publishers of America at their annual dinner recently in New York, that he approves of them.

"I believe the editors and publishers of magazines are the greatest educators of our time," said he. "I believe with Henry Ward Beecher that we must educate the people or go to the bad. If I had one prayer for the American people it would be that every man be educated so as to read his ball of and have the courage to vote according to his conscience. That education may come from the schools, the newspapers or the magazines."

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**LEGAL NOTICES**  
Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the 1911 session of the North Carolina General Assembly for amendment to the Charter of the Town of Asheboro, N. C.

This January 4th, 1911.  
Hal M. Worth,  
Mayor of the Town of Asheboro, N. C.

**NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of John O. Arnold, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 13th day of January, 1911, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

This the 9th day of January, 1911.  
Ella Arnold,  
Admrx. of John O. Arnold dec'd.

**MORTGAGE SALE.**  
By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage deed executed to the State of North Carolina by P. A. Williams and wife, Lula Williams, on the 17th day of December, 1908, which mortgage deed is duly recorded in the Register's office of Randolph county in Book 127 Page 689, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C. on Monday, February 13, 1911, the following described real estate in Cedar Grove Township, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a stone, formerly a sassafras, thence north 0.25 chains to a stone pile, Wm. Lowdermilk's corner; thence west 50 links to a stake; thence north 9 chains to a gum William's corner; thence west 26 chains to a black oak; thence north 15 chains to a stone pile, formerly a white oak, Vannocannon's corner; thence west 20-2-7 chains to a stone, formerly a stake, Vannocannon's corner; thence south 30 chains to a stone pile, Vannocannon's corner; thence east 17 chains to a black oak; thence east 30 chains to the beginning, containing 100-90-100 acres more or less.

Land sale is made to satisfy said foreclosed said mortgage by order of the Superior Court of Randolph County.  
This January 12th, 1911.  
W. C. Hammond,  
Clerk Superior Court Randolph Co.

**NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Isabella Williams, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph county, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified on or before the 5th day of January, 1911, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

This the 5th day of January, 1911.  
M. v. Edwards, Adm.

**LAND SALE NOTICE.**  
Pursuant to the power vested in me decreed rendered in special proceeding entitled *Kelly vs. Kelly*, I will on Saturday the 12th day of January, 1911, at one o'clock, p. m., in front of the post office building in Hamlet, N. C., sell at public auction, the following described real estate, lying and being in the town of Hamlet, N. C., on the west side of Deep River and bounded as follows: to-wit: Beginning at a stake on the east side of the public road leading from Page's mill house to the mill race, thence north 32-4-4 east 105 feet to a stake, thence 33-4 west 105 feet to a stake on east side of road, thence north 32-4 east 105 feet to the beginning, containing one acre more or less.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash, balance in six months, deferred payments bearing interest at the legal rate from day of confirmation and approved security being given therefor.  
This December 15, 1910.  
R. E. KELLY, Commissioner.

**NORTH CAROLINA,** Superior Court Randolph Co.  
Notice.  
B. E. Lowdermilk, et. vs. E. F. Lowdermilk, L. T. Lowdermilk, Ella Lowdermilk, Mety Lowdermilk, L. A. Lowdermilk and Almada Trogdon.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Randolph County, for the sale of a tract of land for partition, the said land situated in Richland Township of said county. The said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County on the 23rd day of January 1911, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This December 17, 1910.  
W. C. Hammond,  
Clerk of the Superior Court

**NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of John Madison, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 22 day of December, 1910, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

This 15th day of December, 1910.  
M. Kate F. Harris,  
Librarian, N. C.

**NOTICE**  
Having qualified as executor on the estate of Thos. D. Harris, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 22 day of December, 1910, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.  
For the Western District of North Carolina.  
In the matter of the *Randolph Manufacturing Company, Bankrupt.*  
To the creditors of the *Randolph Manufacturing Company, Bankrupt.* In the County of Randolph and District of North Carolina. Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of December 1910, the said *Randolph Manufacturing Company* was duly adjudged bankrupt, and the first meeting of the creditors will be held at the law office of H. M. Ebbins, Esq., in Asheville, N. C., on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1911, at 11 o'clock, a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, consider the proposed sale of any real estate, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. All claims should be properly proven and filed with the Receiver and not with the Receivers or Trustee.

J. E. Alexander,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.  
For the Western District of North Carolina.  
In the matter of the *Naomi Falls Manufacturing Company, Bankrupt.*  
To the creditors of the *Naomi Falls Manufacturing Company, Bankrupt.* In the County of Randolph and District of North Carolina. Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of December, 1910, the said *Naomi Falls Manufacturing Company* was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of the creditors will be held at the law office of H. M. Ebbins, Esq., in Asheville, N. C., on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1911, at 11 o'clock, a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, consider the proposed sale of any real estate, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. All claims should be properly proven and filed with the Receiver and not with the Receivers or Trustee.

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**NOTICE**  
North Carolina. In the Superior Court Randolph Co. Before the Clerk.  
Fannie L. Cox et. al. vs. T. L. Cox et. al. The defendants, N. F. Cox and R. A. Cox, will take notice that a special proceeding, entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Randolph County, for partition among the tenants in common a tract of land situated in New Market Township in said county, consisting of 339 acres, in which land said defendant's have an interest; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county at his office in Asheboro, N. C., said county, on the 27th day of January, 1911, and answer or demur to the petition, and if special proceeding or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

This the 27th day of Decce ber, 1910  
W. C. Hammond,  
Clerk Superior Court

**NOTICE**  
North Carolina, Superior Court Randolph Co.  
George Saunders, Plaintiff vs. Pinkney Saunders, Defendant.

Notice. You are hereby notified that an action entitled as above has been instituted against you in the Superior Court of Randolph county, North Carolina, and the subject matter and nature of said action is as follows: to-wit: An action for damages for the alleged seduction by you of the daughter of plaintiff, whose name and property which plaintiff has been damaged in the sum of five hundred dollars, which action is returnable at the same of the court for the county of Randolph, N. C., to be held on the second Monday after the first Monday in March, 1911, you will further take notice that a warrant of attachment has been issued in the above action against your property, which warrant is returnable at the same time as said action is returnable, when and where you are required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint of plaintiff for the relief demanded will be granted.

This the 15th day of December 1910.  
W. C. Hammond,  
Clerk Superior Court Randolph Co.

**NOTICE**  
North Carolina, Superior Court Randolph Co.  
R. P. Copple, Plaintiff vs. F. H. Doby, Defendant.

Notice of Summons and Warrant of Attachment. The defendant above named will take notice that a summons in the above entitled action was issued against said defendant on the 29th day of December, 1910, by W. C. Hammond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph County, for the sum of five hundred dollars due said plaintiff for damages for breach of contract in failing and refusing to pay for the use of an engine and boiler for six days, and failing and refusing to return the engine and boiler in as good condition as when received according to contract, and for injury to said engine and boiler through the negligence of the defendant, which summons is returnable before the Superior Court at a court to be held for the county of Randolph, N. C., at the courthouse in Asheboro, N. C., on the second Monday after the first Monday of March, 1911. The defendant will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by the Clerk of said court on the 29th day of December, 1910, against the property of said defendant for the sum of five hundred dollars, and please advise named for the return of the summons, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This the 29th day of December, 1910.  
W. C. Hammond,  
Clerk Superior Court for Randolph Co.

**MORTGAGE SALE.**  
By virtue of the power contained in a certain deed of mortgage executed to the undersigned by John Madison on the 6th day of September 1910, which mortgage is duly recorded in Book 135 Page 77, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C. on the 21st day of January, 1911, at 12 o'clock, m., the following described real estate in Asheboro Township, Randolph county, described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a stake 20 feet west of the center of the A. & A. Railroad tract, on the edge of the right of way of said railroad; thence north with said right of way of said railroad 338 feet to a stake; thence west 108 feet to a stake; thence south 335 feet to a stake on the side of the New Street; thence east 124 feet to the beginning containing one and one-fourth acres more or less, known as lot No. 1, sold from the Macaden place.

This the 20th day of December, 1910.  
Virginia L. Brittain, Mortgagee.

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