



View of the Playgrounds, showing the Hathaway House  
used for Industrial Classes

Seventh Annual Report  
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Settlement Association  
Salem, Massachusetts

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

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The year just closed has been rather an uneventful one, in the history of the organization.

The Directors have met for the transaction of regular business which has been carried on in the usual harmonious manner.

The entertainment given in Academy Hall by Miss Ruth Draper, in original monologues is the only attempt the Association has made to raise funds during the year.

The main financial burden has been borne by the generous founder of the settlement.

The Directors appreciate the great assistance that a large membership in our association affords. We welcome suggestions from any member, and offers of service as volunteers in the settlement are appreciated.

We maintain that work like ours—fundamentally preparatory for citizenship—is a most important one in this time of war, and urge all members to continue on our role, and help us increase it by enlisting new members.

The report of the work of the settlement will be given in detail by the resident Director and head worker Miss Elizabeth H. Dunham whose faithful and competent service to the Association is hereby acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

RUFUS D. ADAMS, President.

## REPORT OF THE HEAD WORKER

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Once again we occupy ourselves with the consideration of the affairs of the House of the Seven Gables Settlement. We shall examine columns of figures representing its financial maintenance, and, also, the human assets which are the return for this expenditure. These cash values must be represented by standards of living and behavior, industrial capacity and opportunity, conditions of health and ideals of citizenship. It is my privilege to call your attention to some of the incidents and situations which have occurred in the life of our settlement during the past year from which source these values must be inferentially discovered.

### May Festival

Some time during the month of May it has been the custom to assemble the members of the settlement, their friends, and as many of the general public as may be interested, the first group mentioned acting as entertainers and the others as audience. In May of the Spring of 1916 this festival was celebrated on a Saturday afternoon for the pleasure of the children of the settlement, and on Monday evening for the adults. The afternoon party was held in Now and Then hall. An audience of 397 people was entertained by 172 children who performed national and folk dances of various nations. A flag drill featuring the name of the settlement "H. 7. G." was given by a group of 18 girls. The Boy Scouts in uniform acted as ushers. After the exhibition the children enjoyed dancing with the "grown-ups" to the music of a real orchestra.

On Monday evening the festival was continued in Turner Hall. A program of music, tableaux and dances was provided by the Gables Mothers' Club, the Polish Woman's Club, the Men's Club, the Gables brass band, and the Gables stringed orchestra. General dancing, without which no entertainment would be considered complete, concluded the festival.

### **Camp**

The second event which annually occupies the attention of the neighborhood is that of camp. Where? When? and how much does it cost? are questions which are asked of every member of the staff and almost as many times a day as there are minutes in it. Cobbett's Pond, in Windham, New Hampshire, which had been the location of our camp for years was considered to be no longer a suitable location. The shore of the pond had become thickly settled and a right of way for the town's people to the pond was maintained directly across our camp, precluding all privacy and the seclusion which is necessary for the best results of camp life. In searching for a new site it was discovered that the first objectionable feature was common to almost every locality available, within a possible distance. We eventually engaged a camp on Angle Pond, East Hampstead, New Hampshire, for the month of August for the use of the boys, only. This camp was supervised by the Director of Boys' work who was assisted by two volunteer counselors and occupied by boys of 12 to 21 years of age.

### **Post Kindergarten**

A very important feature of our Summer work is the continuation of our relationship with our little friends of the kindergarten which terminates its daily sessions about the first of June, this being necessitated by the closing of the Kindergarten Training schools in Boston from which we obtain our assistants. We were able, however, to provide for the smaller

group of children composed of the graduates of the kindergarten during the month of July and two weeks in August. Thirty-six children were enrolled.

### **Out-of-Door Activities**

Demonstrating our confidence in the industrial and educational value of gardening, we again co-operated with the Chamber of Commerce Garden Committee in stimulating an interest in home gardens. About twenty of these gardens were planted and cared for.

During the summer months the in-door meetings of the clubs and classes are discontinued and our attention is centered on out-of-door activities. Picnics and excursions to beaches and woods nearby were enjoyed every pleasant day. Bathing from Hathaway breakwater was a favorite form of summer sport with the boys and girls who frequently gave exhibition of bravery and daring to admiring groups of mothers and friends.

### **Christmas**

The House of the Seven Gables Settlement in 1914 inaugurated the custom of Christmas caroling in Ward One. On Christmas of that year the residents of the Old Ladies' Home, the Bertram Home for Aged Men and the Sisters of St. Mary's and St. John's parochial schools, respectively, were serenaded. In 1915, because of a severe storm on the evening scheduled for carol singing, many were disappointed. To avoid a similar catastrophe and also to give pleasure to a larger number of people carols were sung about the neighborhood every afternoon of the week between five and six o'clock. The singers were on the lookout for lighted candles in the windows which signified a special welcome. The institutions mentioned above

were visited by groups of older singers later in the evening and were most cordially welcomed. The children of the settlement made and personally distributed gifts, as usual, for every inmate of the City Home. Ninety presents were given and carols were sung in every ward. The Christmas celebration concluded with a party in Turner Hall. It was attended and financed by the Polish Women's, the Jewish Women's, and the Gables Mothers' Clubs, the members of the latter club being all of Irish descent. It was a most social affair consisting almost entirely of games which would include all, each guest apparently trying to excel the others in friendly and cordial participation. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served, each club contributing an equal assessment. Many requests for similar parties have been received from these clubs since that time. The celebration of Christmas at the "Gables" affords the widest opportunity for testing the up-to-date process and product of the American "melting pot."

### Classes

The settlement has continued to provide instruction and training in domestic science and arts, carpentry, etc. The cooking classes are always the most popular not because the subject itself is more interesting but rather for the immediate practical results. Opportunities for learning dressmaking and millinery are judged from the same standpoint. The classes in the domestic arts are consequently seasonal, the necessity for a new gown or hat being the motive for attendance. Handsewing classes are more permanent, the acquisition of daintier lingerie or coveted accessories of dress, such as aprons, collars, belts and bags being the attraction. Two afternoon classes and one evening class in carpentry have been held, per week. The boys have made simple articles for home use such as medicine closets, flower pot stands, foot stools, and rollers for towels.

## Clubs

The plan of grouping the members of the settlement into social units has been extended this past year to include the children usually considered to be too young for such association. This plan has been adopted to provide an opportunity for developing an interest in simple hand crafts and games. These groups while not of spontaneous growth are yet composed of children of similiar ages and neighborhood acquaintance, and the weekly programs are so elastic as to attract each one. No attempt is made at club government, this experience being acquired at an older age. In these clubs little children have learned knitting, making of dolls' clothes card construction, weaving, basketry, painting, drawing, simple embroidery, and to play games accurately.

Other groups of older children and adults, self-organized and distinctly social clubs have held weekly meetings. During the past year these groups have increased to a larger number than ever before in the history of the settlement. This increase is represented by boys and young men. An examination of the books of some of these clubs disclose records of votes undertaking to apprehend and punish those members whose manners and conduct are objectionable. Still others to support the ruling of the House on matters involving the health and ideals of the younger members altho to do so means the relinquishing of cherished privileges. Some of them have broadened the scope of their original purposes to include lectures on vital topics.

## Dramatics

These social clubs are the medium through which our dramatic work is developed. Our membership in the Inter-settlement Dramatic League of Greater Boston is of great

value in stimulating an interest and ambition in this most important art. Through a system of exchange plays arranged by this organization our clubs are given the opportunity to hear a reperatory of good plays and to have the experience of performing for audiences not made up entirely of too friendly critics. By far the most ambitious attempt of the year has been the production of a four-act drama written by the French playwright, Brieux. Groups of younger actors have given very creditable plays. The Camp Fire Girls presented "Princess Winsome" which was a financial as well as an artistic success, enabling them to reimburse the House for the money advanced for registration in the national organization.

## Music

Our music department has provided a very powerful influence in promoting unity and neighborhood consciousness. It has also furnished the individual with an additional source of pleasure and refinement. The Gables Brass Band is a body of nineteen musicians, 16 to 21 years of age representing three nationalities. It rehearses regularly one evening each week. Mr. B. C. McSheehy is still its most successful and popular leader and instructor.

No more correct estimate of the value of a class can be found than in the faithfulness and progress of its members. The pupils of Mrs. Jessie Hatch Symonds are most enthusiastic over their violin work and their programs are well worth listening to. Piano instruction has been added to this department with more applicants than can be accommodated. The junior and senior choirs have rehearsed weekly—one an operetta and the other a cantata. Community singing was inaugurated early in the year. This group met in Turner Hall on Sunday evenings for the purpose of singing together patriotic and folk songs of all nations. If the language of a selected

song was familiar only to a few, the others joined in by vocalizing the melody. Instrumental accompaniment of violins, cornets and piano was furnished by volunteer musicians of the neighborhood.

## **Recreation**

Turner Hall has housed most of the recreational activities of the settlement. There the young people of both sexes have had their social gatherings and dramatics. The gymnasium is also there and many basketball games between outside teams and our own have been played there. Dances have been given there one evening each week until the Lenten season when illustrated lectures were substituted. Our splendidly equipped stage is also located in this building.

## **Public Health**

Longer and more intimate acquaintance with our neighborhood has revealed another opportunity for important service. Industrial classes, social clubs, music and art must be of doubtful benefit to the person who is physically disabled. The services of a resident nurse were secured late in the fall. Several physicians of the city gave their services one evening each week for a period of a month to conduct a general clinic. The City Hospital welcomed our co-operation in looking after the social service side of its work, most cordially. The discovery of neglected ailments and premonitory symptoms of preventable diseases which may endanger the health of the family and community is most necessary. Much human efficiency may be conserved by such research and assistance. The evening clinic is in many cases the only one available for the working man or woman.

## Outside Work

To confine our attempts to ameliorate distressing circumstances or to increase resources for healthful, contented and useful living to the immediate vicinity would be to fail. Our vision of possibilities for service must be enlarged to include all restricted and undeveloped lives. We have made our contribution to this larger movement through information of local conditions and experiences accumulated by members of the House staff which will help to interpret the common needs for remedial legislation in industrial, economic and social affairs of the State and Nation. This service has been given in co-operation with such local agencies as the Public and Parochial schools, the Anti-Tuberculosis society, the Associated charities, the Boston Social Union, and the Childrens' Bureau at Washington.

## Conclusion

The settlement exists for the purpose of expressing the bond of brotherhood with all humanity irrespective of race, nationality or creed. Our membership is composed of about the same racial groups as in former years. Fourteen nationalities are represented, Irish and Polish forming the largest group, the Russian next in size. The remainder are Syrian, Scotch, Spanish and African. The members of these several groups represent eight religions, the largest number being communicants of the Roman Catholic Church, the others in the order of their mention—Jewish, Greek Catholic, Methodist, Baptist, Congregational, Universalist and Unitarian. We are entering upon a time of social stress and it may be necessary for the settlement to interpret Americanism in more ways than ever—in more emphatic and conspicuous efforts—and to serve as a clearing house for all the various opinions and prejudices entertained by these different social elements. We shall need

to make all our social activities more insistant. To do this we shall need in addition to our resident workers all the assistance possible from the outside. We extend our most cordial appreciation and gratitude to all who have assisted us in the past,—those who have supplied its financial support, and those who have given council, advice and personal service. The settlements that had given up their neighborly social service and educational opportunities during the first year of the war have now taken up again these tasks as the most important patriotic service they can render.

“The settlements offer themselves to the nation in this crisis in the hope for, and belief in, a democratic world. They will seek in there own neighborhoods to bring about in war time, as they have continuously sought for twenty-five years in peace, co-operation, fellowship, and common loyalty among all their neighbors of whatever race or creed. For Americanization can never be effective if it does not take place through the close personal fellowship arising from daily association.” Already our corps of volunteer workers has been depleted by calls to other fields of service which have seemed to be of more immediate need. But we hope that the citizens of Salem in selecting the form of service which they may give the country will continue to consider the needs of the House of the Seven Gables settlement.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH H. DUNHAM.

## **Regular Neighborhood Appointments**

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Kindergartener and three assistants from Wheelock Kindergarten Training School, daily except Saturday and Sunday.  
9 A. M. to 12 M.

Kindergarten age 3½ to 5 years.

General clinic every Wednesday evening.

Community singing weekly. Sunday 7.30 to 9 P. M.

### **AFTERNOON CLASSES 4 to 6**

#### **Girls**

Sewing, cooking, embroidering, folk dancing, story telling, little nurses, housekeeping, table setting, and serving, beadwork, basketry, gymnasium, painting, knitting, play hour, piano, choir.

#### **Boys**

Carpentry, basketry, gymnasium, painting, play hour.

### **EVENING CLASSES 7 to 10**

#### **Girls**

Cooking, home economics, dressmaking, millinery, folk dancing, violin, stencilling.

#### **Boys**

Gymnasium, carpentry, brass band, violin, orchestral trio.

#### **Young Men and Women**

Dramatics, social dancing.

### **CLUBS**

#### **Girls**

Camp Fire, Jerusalem Stars, Work and Play, Busy Beavers, Blue Bird, Happy Clubs.

#### **Boys**

Independent, Harvard, National, Little Boys (2) Clubs.

**Young Men**

Excelsior, Happy Jacks, Young Men's Polish, The Rovers,  
Harbor View Clubs.

**Women**

Gables Mothers', Polish Women's, Jewish Women's, Sing-  
ing Clubs.

**Young Men and Women**

Dramatic Club.

**Men**

Gables Men's Club.

## SETTLEMENT STATISTICS

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| House members . . . . .                        | 483 |
| Number of boys 5 to 21 years of age . . . . .  | 177 |
| Number of girls 5 to 21 years of age . . . . . | 187 |
| Kindergarten . . . . .                         | 58  |
| Patients seen at clinic . . . . .              | 80  |
| Physicians serving . . . . .                   | 4   |
| Association members . . . . .                  | 307 |
| Volunteer workers . . . . .                    | 51  |

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### May Festival (1916)

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| Afternoon performance at Now and Then Hall—attendance   | 569 |
| Number of children taking part . . . . .                | 172 |
| Evening performance at Turner Hall—attendance . . . . . | 96  |
| Number of people taking part . . . . .                  | 47  |

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### Boys' Camp Angle Pond, East Hampstead, N. H.

Month of August.

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| Number of boys . . . . .    | 23 |
| Number of workers . . . . . | 3  |

## CONTRIBUTORS—Of Money And Other Gifts

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|                              |                            |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Adams, Mr. Rufus D.          | Jackman, Mrs. Daisy        |
| Almy, Bigelow & Washburn Co. | Jackman, Miss Ruth         |
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| Cassino, Mrs. Leslie         | Parker, Mrs. George S.     |
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| Cook, Mr. Francis H.         | Peabody Museum             |
| Curran, Rev. John            | Rantoul, Miss Margaret     |
| Cushing, Mr. Sumner W.       | Rantoul, Miss Harriet      |
| Daland, Mrs. John            | Sinclair, Mr. Charles E.   |
| Daniel Low & Co.             | Sterling Confectionery Co. |
| Davis, Rev. Reuben J.        | Simons, Mr. S. H.          |
| Eldridge, Miss Sarah A.      | Southard, Mrs. L. K.       |
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| Hood, Miss Gertrude          | Waters & Brown             |
| Hamblett, Mrs. Augustus P.   |                            |

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT May 1, 1916 to May 1, 1917

|      | <b>Receipts</b>               |             | <b>Expenditures</b>        |             |
|------|-------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------|
|      | Income from investments       | \$1,601.42  | Cleaning and laundry       | \$ 173.47   |
|      | Admissions to house           | 3,145.15    | Heating and lighting       | 913.56      |
|      | Annual dues                   | 328.00      | Furnishings and equipment  | 38.84       |
|      | Contributions                 | 3,665.38    | Supplies                   | 177.21      |
|      | Board                         | 2,465.15    | Table                      | 1,907.64    |
|      | House memberships             | 118.27      | Telephone                  | 82.82       |
| (81) | Profits from Tea-house        | 35.11       | Service                    | 679.65      |
|      | Profits from Shop             | 898.00      | Postage and printing       | 143.09      |
|      | Profits from Festival         | 27.40       | Repairs                    | 202.48      |
|      | Proceeds from entertainment:  |             | Socials and entertainments | 51.48       |
|      | Ruth Draper                   | 42 50       | Camp                       | 127.37      |
|      |                               | \$12,326.38 | Clubs and classes          | 216.24      |
|      | Balance May 1, 1916           | 220.37      | Salaries                   | 7,756.91    |
|      | Overdraft balance May 1, 1917 | 21.11       | Miscellaneous              | 97.10       |
|      |                               | \$12,567.86 |                            | \$12,567.86 |

## EQUIPMENT FUND

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|------------------------------------|--------------|
| May 1, 1915 balance . . . . .      | \$20 11      |
| Paid Ropes Drug Co. . . . . \$ .77 |              |
| Paid Riker Jaynes Co. . . . . 7.76 |              |
| Paid Riker Jaynes Co. . . . . 1.25 | 9.78         |
| Balance May 1, 1917 . . . . .      | <u>10.33</u> |

## SOME SOCIAL EVENTS

1916-1917

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- May 11. Harbor View Club dance.  
" 12. Mrs. Eva Whiting White, Elizabeth Peabody House, Boston, addressed the Annual Directors' meeting.  
" 24. Camp Fire Girls' birthday party.  
" 26. Thespian Club dance.  
" 26. Kindergarten closing party.  
June 3. Children taken to the circus.  
" 8. Gables Mothers' Club banquet at Turner Hall.  
" 15. Gables Men's Club banquet at Turner Hall.  
July 1. Opening of Post Kindergarten.  
" 31. Motor boat ride for children.  
Aug. 1. Camp opened for boys.  
Oct. 11. Kindergarten opened.  
" 14. Boy Scouts visited "Harvard" and attended a football game at the Stadium.  
" 29. Community "sings" inaugurated.  
" 30. Children's Halloween party.  
Nov. 8. Resident nurse added to staff.  
" 9. Camp Fire Girls party and installation of officers.  
" 14. Reception for the resident nurse to meet the City Nurses.  
" 21. Kindergarten Mothers' meeting addressed by Nurse, subject, "School lunches."  
" 22. Kindergarten Thanksgiving party.  
Dec. 2. Little Mothers' Club organized.  
" 6. Jerusalem Stars party.  
" 18. A group of thirty-five children, with teachers sang at homes where a light was placed in the window.  
" 18. Christmas dance for the young men and girls.

- Dec. 19. Children's Christmas party.
- “ 20. Christmas party for boys and girls.
- “ 20. Sang carols at the “Old Ladies Home,” Custom House Place, Bertram Home for Aged Men.
- “ 21. Christmas kindergarten party.
- “ 21. The children personally distributed gifts at the Almshouse, and sang carols in the different wards.
- “ 22. Sang carols at the Polish Sisters' Home, Catholic Sisters' Home.
- “ 28. Union Christmas celebration by Gables Mothers', Jewish and Polish Women's Clubs.
- Jan 1. House of Seven Gables clinic opened.
- “ 19. Federation of clubs.
- “ 20. Delegate sent to Inter-settlement Dramatic League Annual meeting in Boston.
- “ 28. A party given for Volunteer Workers.
- “ 29. Sleigh ride for 180 children.
- “ 29. Lecture on Mexico with slides.
- Feb. 1. Gables Mothers' Club entertained by out of town singers.
- “ 1. Gables Mothers' Club annual ball.
- “ 7. A group of boys and girls taken to the Salem Theatre to see thrift pictures.
- “ 14. Kindergarten Valentine party.
- “ 16. Camp Fire Girls, assisted by other children presented the play, “The Rescue of the Princess Win-some.”
- “ 22. Camp Fire Council Meeting.
- “ 23. Gables Mothers' Club Washington's Birthday party.
- Mar. 2. Violin boys hear the Boston Symphony Orchestra.
- “ 5. Illustrated talk on Canada.
- “ 6. Camp Fire picnic in Hathaway.
- “ 6. Kindergarten Mothers' party.
- “ 12. Illustrated lecture.

- Mar. 15. Gables Mothers' Club presented a play, "An Irish Invasion."
- April 4. Placing of waste barrels on Derby Street.
- " 12. Address on Bacteriology applied to clean streets.
- " 18. Camp Fire Girls in ceremonial gowns attended the Preparedness meeting at High School.
- " 21. Camp Fire Girls attend Grand Council Fire at Mechanics' Hall, Boston.
- " 23. Camp Fire Girls worked at Red Cross rooms.
- " 25. Gables Mothers' Club sent delegates to sew at Red Cross rooms.
- " 27. "Girls of 1916 club" presented "The House of the Heart."
- May 1. Polish Women's Club gave a party.
- " 4. Kindergarten Mothers' meeting.
- " 5. Camp Fire Girls sold carnations for Tuberculosis day.
- " 7. The Dramatic Club presented "The Red Robe."
- " 10. Polish Women's Club served at Red Cross rooms.
- " 11. Annual Association meeting at Turner Hall.
- " 19. Children's May Festival at Now and Then Hall.
- " 21. Evening May Festival.
- " 29. Two of the Gables Brass Band boys played at the Inter-settlement Players entertainment in Boston.
- " 31. Girls' Auxiliary League organized to help keep clean the streets.

## ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

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Abbott, Miss Madeline  
Adams, Mr. Rufus D.  
Adams, Mrs. Rufus D.  
Agge, Miss Annie A.  
Agge, Miss Chattarina W.  
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Bellefleur, Mrs. J. L.  
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Benjamin, Mrs. Francis S.  
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Benson, Hon. H. P.  
Benson, Mrs. H. P.  
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Berry, Mr. Walter F.  
Blair, Dr. George K.  
Bowdoin, Mrs. Lucy H.  
Boyd, Mr. Ernest R.  
Boyd, Mrs. Ernest R.  
Brooks, Miss Alice F.  
Brooks, Mr. Frank A.  
Brooks, Miss Jennie  
Brooks, Miss Margaret W.  
Brown, Mrs. Albert S.  
Brown, Miss Annie B.  
Brown, Mr. Edward F.  
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