

a pile o' money spent on big enjines t' make th' boat go lickety-split through th' water. Now when this new man-o'-war is set in Higgins' Lake, thar'll be no need uv sech wasteful contraptions 'cause th' lake is tew small fer t' let th' boat go galavantin' t' furrin' shores. I take thet t' be a right smart advantage over any other place. Instead o' th' speed enjines we plan t' hev a new kind o' machine in th' boat. It'll be som'at like th' thrashin' machines thet go 'round th' country in harvest season on'y it'll be a lot bigger. Then when time comes t' do th' thrashin' we'll build a big bridge out t' th' gunboat an' all th' teams kin drive over this bridge onter th' boat whar they'll hev thar grain thrashed free o' charge, an' then they kin drive back agin. We figger thet this free thrashin' 'll be a great boon tew Hick'ry Corner farmers an' indireck'ly tew th' hull nation, cause in this way th' farmers kin sell thar grain a durned sight cheaper an' help redooce th' cost o' livin'. In winter time we kin use th' boat fer a meetin' house an' fer a place t' give Saturday night hops. As fer gittin' th' gunboat t' Higgins' Lake we studied thet out tew. It'll be built in pieces jest like these here knock-down summer cottages an' kin be stuck t'gether arter she gits t' th' lake.

Gentlemen, I most sartainly hope ye'll give this plan yer full consideration, an' if thar's anything 'bout it thet ye aint quite sure uv, jest come 'round t' my room an' it'll be explained. I thank'ee."

—W. P. HANSON.

The Nobody Club

(That is Nobody But Ourselves)

MOTTO—After Me, You Come First.

FLOWER—Lily of the Valley. (Habitat—Secluded Places.)

GRIP—There isn't any. You can tell them without it.

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Still Smaller.....	"P" "O" "E" Johnson
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