

WESTERLY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Had Record Circulation Last Week—Restaurant Keeper Marries Dog Trainer After 24 Hours' Acquaintance—Fifth Company's Complimentary Review this Evening—Death of Patrick Brown—Montville Man Marries Hadlyme Woman in Westerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Willard and their daughter, Miss Grace P. Willard, who are to spend the balance of the winter at their southern home at Lake Weir, Fla., were passengers on the steamship Motark, as shown in the passenger lists printed in 'The Aerogram,' the daily paper printed on shipboard, copies of which have been received in Westerly.

In the first issue this item appears: 'The editor takes this means of thanking Miss Grace P. Willard of Westerly for the valuable assistance she gave in writing the editorials of the issue of the paper yesterday.'

In one issue appears the item: 'The following party of enthusiastic lovers of hunting and fishing, Mr. and Mrs. Swards, Fish Commissioner Charles W. Willard and daughter, Miss Grace P. Willard, of Westerly, R. I., and Mr. Horton, an English sportsman, held a session in Dr. Swards' room, Wednesday morning, for the purpose of swapping stories. Those certainly were some mighty big fish caught and quantity of game shot during the few hours of the session.'

Dolly Burton and her dogs closed a week's engagement at the Star last Saturday evening, and Sunday, James Burton, Dolly's father, and the dogs went eastward and remained in Westerly to get married. Last Saturday morning Howard Mason Chase, age 35, a restaurant keeper, became acquainted with the young dog trainer, whose stage name was Barton, not Burton.

Dolly and Howard got to like each other on short acquaintance, and they resolved to marry right away quick. Sunday they made a call upon Town Clerk White and applied for a marriage license, and to the questions regulated by law these replies were made: Howard Mason Chase, resident of Westerly, age 25, restaurant keeper, born in Charleston, N. L. son of Court M. Chase, a farmer.

Dolly Burton, resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., show business, age 19, born in Providence, daughter of James Burton, engaged in show business. Sunday evening Howard Chase and Dolly Burton called at the residence of Rev. George W. Rigler, pastor of the First Baptist church, and were married. They were unattended and Kate L. Rigler and Ruth S. Rigler acted as witnesses on the marriage certificate.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase left on a Sunday night west bound train on their wedding trip. Last Friday night, James Burton, Dolly's father, found fault with some of her doings and chastised her severely. Burton was arrested Saturday morning and fined by the town court of Stonington. When he departed with the dogs, Sunday morning, he had no knowledge of the whereabouts of his daughter Dolly. The marriage of Mr. Chase and Miss Burton was a big surprise to the parents of Chase and to his many acquaintances in Westerly.

Last week made a new record for the Westerly public library. Not including the books given out for the purpose of reference, 1,101 volumes were taken out by patrons. More than in any single week since the library was opened nearly five years ago. The library started with about 4,000 books and the number has gradually increased to more than 21,000. In addition there are hundreds of bound pamphlets of rare value and not duplicated in any library in the country. Ethan Wilcox, librarian emeritus, has devoted much time in a successful collection of special pamphlets of present and future interest, and in the work he has won the co-operation of the new librarian, Joseph L. Peacock.

Lincoln Prizes to Students UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE

In the Counties of Tolland, Windham and New London, Connecticut and Washington County, Rhode Island.

\$10 to first; \$7 to second; \$5 to third; \$3 to fourth; with "h. m." and "h. c." for all others worthy.

The Bulletin will give these prizes for 600-word stories about Abraham Lincoln, "the great emancipator," written by pupils of schools in his field of circulation. These stories are not to be compilations from biographies, but original conceptions of the personal qualities which made Lincoln the greatest American of his generation and the best loved president of the United States. Originality of expression will receive first recognition in making the awards.

The stories should be written plainly on one side of the paper, without the name of the writer appended—the name to be on a separate sheet and enveloped.

These papers will be impartially judged by a competent committee, and the names of the writers will not be known to the judges. They should be completed and mailed to The Bulletin on or before Feb. 9th, and the best of them will be printed in The Bulletin on Lincoln day, Feb. 12th.

Here is an open competition for all the boys and girls in the counties named. The most original and accurate will win. Address: STONINGTON, NORWICH, CONN.

WAS DOWN AND OUT AFTER FOUR YEARS' STRUGGLE

E. A. Castle Gave Up Business Because Dyspepsia Was Too Much For Him.

L. T. Cooper's preparation, which is at present enjoying a tremendous sale in New York, was strongly endorsed by E. A. Castle, of 506 West Seventh Street, New York. Cooper, who claims that his ill-health is caused by stomach trouble, is meeting the public and explaining his medicine at present in New York. Mr. Castle called at the Cooper headquarters about 3 o'clock and said: "This New Discovery is all and more than Cooper claims. I say this after a remarkable experience with this preparation. I had heard of Cooper's success in Boston, and therefore when I began to hear of him in New York, I came to see him some time ago, and had little faith in any medicine, but after four years of constant suffering, during which time I consulted the very best specialists, was operated upon twice and received no benefit whatever, I made up my mind to try this treatment. "I started taking Cooper's New Discovery seven weeks ago. At that time I was in such poor health that I had given up business. I began to improve after the first week, slowly at first, and later very rapidly. For the past three weeks I have had no sign of stomach trouble. I can eat anything with no bad effects whatsoever. I have a fine appetite and am gaining flesh. I am cheerful, full of energy and am no longer nervous. My bowels are in perfect condition for the first time in years. I am now back at my business again and feel as though I had been made over. "When I realize that a few weeks ago I was a miserable, nervous dyspeptic, barely subsisting on liquid food and feeling tired, gloomy and depressed at all times, my relief and thankfulness is beyond expression, and I consider myself in duty bound to make this statement. "Cooper's New Discovery has made a wonderful record in New York and other cities. It is now for sale at leading druggists everywhere. We will furnish full information about this remarkable preparation upon request. The Cooper Medicine Co., Dayton, Ohio.

Langworthy, by Fifth company, coast artillery corps, in the state armory, Westerly, this (Tuesday) evening. Capt. B. Babcock will be the inspecting officer.

HELPING THE FALLEN. Chaplains in Wethersfield Aid and Encourage Prisoners to Strive for Better Life.

In short reports to the prison directors the Protestant and Catholic chaplains have given a very good idea of the effort which is being put forth to sow within ering mankind some seed that will bring forth at least an improved citizenship among them. The work is conducted on the plan that the man is interested in religion, that even in the worst of criminals there is a chance to do good and that among such a class of men it is possible to become free citizens there is a chance to make a useful man out of one who has misused the talents within him.

Frank Elmore Sawyer, a shipping clerk of Montville, age 31, and a widower, married Florence Estelle Mosher, a divorcee, age 32, of Hadlyme, Conn., in Westerly, Friday. The bride is a daughter of Charles Hall, a farmer, and the groom is son of William Sawyer, a butcher. The knot was tied by Rev. J. F. Lusk, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal church.

John Frazier, a student at the Rhode Island School of Design in Providence, is at his home in Westerly, nursing burns caused by the sudden ignition of gas at the rooms of the Providence Art club, last Thursday. He was about to light a gas range, when gas that escaped in the oven ignited and an explosion resulted. Frazier was burned in the face, his eyebrows were singed, and injury to his eyes was prevented by his eyeglasses.

James Bedeau of Hope Valley became so much overcome by religious frenzy that it was necessary for Judge Olin to issue an order for his removal to go to that place Sunday from Westerly to act upon the case. Bedeau was examined by Dr. Henry Knierz and they reported to the court that the unfortunate man was in a condition dangerous to the safety of the people, and should be placed under restraint for his own welfare, as well. Judge Williams ordered Bedeau committed to the state hospital for the insane.

Patrick Brown, for over thirty years employed as a stone cutter in Westerly, died Sunday evening at his home in Granite street. Mr. Brown was a well known and respected citizen. He is survived by Mrs. Brown, eight daughters and four sons: Mrs. Henry Hughes, Mrs. Frank Knight, Mrs. Charles Schroeder, Mrs. John Holliday, and Misses Katherine, Frances, Clara and Mabel Brown; and John, William, Edward and Henry Brown.

Local Lacerations. A Sacred Heart society is to be organized in St. Michael's parish. It is understood that the new narrow fabric looms will be in operation in a new mill building in Westerly by July 1.

Howard Gulin, an office employee of Maxson & Co., lost the end of his right thumb by contact with a buzz saw in the planing mill Monday morning. The index finger was injured. The local Lincoln Memorial committee has notified the commanders of the two Grand Army posts of their readiness to assist in arranging for a proper observance of the Lincoln centenary. A Westerly young man who had so far arranged for his marriage to a Boston young woman and to invite a friend to act as groomsmen, has had a sudden change of heart and mewed another year after a personal acquaintance of fifty hours. A complimentary review and inspection will be given Senator Louis V. Arnold and Representative Albert H.

Called to New York Hospital. The board of trustees of Bellevue and allied hospitals in New York have selected Dr. Winford H. Smith, superintendent of the Hartford hospital, to be general medical superintendent. Dr. Smith is only 32 years old.

BRIEF STATE NEWS

Westport.—Clam diggers from miles around visit the Saco flats daily and they all seem to get enough to repay them for coming.

Southport.—The dog biscuit factory on the road to Greenfield Hill is doing a good business and their output is in great demand.

Mill Brook.—Senator-elect Theodore E. Burton of Ohio is a grandson of the late Deacon Elijah Grant of Mill Brook and nephew of the late Marcus Grant, also of that place.

Derby.—Rev. Chauncey B. Brewster, Episcopal bishop of Connecticut, visited St. James' parish Sunday morning and administered the rite of confirmation to a large class of young people.

Windsor.—Word has been received of the death at Post Mills, Vt., of Rev. S. J. M. Lord, who made his home with Rev. Mr. Ganagh while they lived in South Windsor. Mr. Lord was 87 years of age.

Litchfield.—The engagement is announced of Nicholas W. Huttinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas W. Huttinger of New Haven, to Miss Mabel Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Reynolds of Litchfield.

Norwalk.—Rev. Patrick Bryn, 62, died last week in Norwalk. He was formerly pastor of the Roman Catholic church in South Meriden, Ridgefield, and New Canaan, retiring from his latter charge in 1902, owing to illness.

Bridgeport.—The feature of the public institution of the officers of Abraham lodge, Independent Order of N'nal B'Rhth, Sunday evening, was an address by Rev. Joseph Silverman, rabbi of the Temple Emanuel, E. L. New York.

Suffield.—The question of closing all licensed saloons in this place at 10 o'clock nights was brought before a special town meeting and defeated by a vote of 90 to 32. The new rule, if it had been accepted, would have gone into effect January 28.

Hartford.—Through Royal W. Thompson, secretary to Senator Morgan G. Bulkeley, the state library has received a copy of "Hinds' procedure of the House of Representatives of the United States," in eight volumes. "Mw's English Case Law Digest," in two volumes, has also been received.

Danbury.—George Bahner is organizing a fox hunt on a large scale. Foxes have been doing considerable damage to game birds in this locality, and it is Mr. Bahner's idea that a hunt with 50 to 100 people and 10 or more hounds participating would not only afford prime sport, but would be the means of exterminating many foxes.

FAST HORSES

To Be Taken by Bridgeport Owner to Daily Farm at Mt. Kisco.

B. A. Bulkeley of Bridgeport, the owner of Nahma, 2:07 1-4, Raffles, 2:11 1-2, Half Moon, 2:12 1-2, Ira Bond, Jr., 2:12 1-2, and many other speedy horses with no mark, has leased part of the J. W. Daily farm at Mount Kisco, N. Y. On the property leased are barns with over 100 box stalls.

A fine half mile track, a large modern house, blacksmith and everything else that goes with a well stocked breeding and training plant. This property is about 35 miles out of New York on the Harlem road and about 18 miles west of Stamford, Conn. Mr. Bulkeley takes possession about March 1st, and his careful and successful trainer and driver, F. H. Burgess, will have full charge of the place.

Pennsylvania's Heavy Liabilities. Pennsylvania does a good deal of loud boasting about not having any state debt, but at that we don't know of any other commonwealth with heavier liabilities than Pittsburg and Boies Penrose.—Ohio State Journal.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

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Many Norwich people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is a Norwich citizen's recommendation.

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