

LETTERS FROM TWO STATES

EKONK

Serenade for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frink, who are to reside in Norwich.

Miss Esther Gallup of Ellington visited at her home here over Sunday. Stephen Paine is ill and confined to his bed, and Mrs. Nellie Paine of Woonsocket came Tuesday to help care for him.

Mrs. Sarah Wilcox is spending a week with friends near Alexander's Lake.

Rev. Mr. Reynolds is suffering with a severe cold.

Mrs. Josephine Gallup and son Benjamin were visitors here Saturday.

To Reside in Norwich.

Ernest Frink who has been employed in Scituate R. I. for several years visited at his father's Monday, bringing with him a young bride. In the evening a large company of young people from Sterling Hill and Ekonk gave him a serenade, after which a social was enjoyed. They are to reside in Norwich.

The cold weather has enabled the farmers to house a good quantity of ice.

Birthday Shower.

Mrs. Byron Gallup had quite a shower of post cards on her birthday, Friday.

The number enjoyed a social at the Gallup homestead last Thursday evening.

Miss Jeannette Gallup worthy lecturer of Ekonk grange has distributed among the patrons very interesting programs for 1913.

Rev. Mr. Reynolds and son Maxwell spent Thursday in Danielson.

E. B. Gallup transacted business in Norwich Thursday.

Mrs. Addie Stanton and Mrs. Byron Gallup visited Thursday with the Misses Vose at Edwin Miller's in Moseup.

CHAPLIN

Choir Reorganized—Miss Copeland The New Organist.

The congregational choir has been reorganized. Arthur Williams was chosen leader, and Miss Ruth Copeland organist in place of Miss Florence I. Hunt who has been leader and organist in a most efficient manner for several years, and retired from the choir and is now a teacher in a graded school in New Britain.

Was Seriously Ill.

Henry C. Gallup has been seriously ill with heart trouble, but is improving.

The Ladies' Aid society met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. Wilbur Lanphar.

Edward A. Panno moves this week to North Windham where he is employed in the Hartson Brothers machine shop.

Mrs. H. C. McKnight is at the home of her son, Wallace McKnight of North Coventry.

POMFREY CENTER

E. Brown Attends Legislative Hearing Regarding Foul Brood of Bees.

Everett E. Brown spoke at a orcharding at Leonard Bridge Monday, at a farmers' institute under the auspices of the Jewish Federation.

Mrs. George Botham is sick with Erp.

Miss M. A. Stanton has been confined to the house for a few days with the prevalent cold, but is recovering.

Mrs. Mary B. Brown and Fanny Brown spent the week end at Black Hill.

E. E. Brown attended a hearing at Hartford Thursday regarding legislation on foul brood in bees.

ATTAWAUGAN

Miss Lucy Tibbits of Boston spent Sunday here.

There was an entertainment at the M. E. church Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mittie Lapearl is ill.

Mrs. Ida Watson is out after a severe illness.

All of the looms have been moved into the new shed and are running.

Mrs. Corneil Chase, who is ill, is able to sit up a little now.

Miss Emma Rollinson and a friend spent Sunday at Central Village.

Mrs. Ella Oregon and son George have been ill.

WOODSTOCK

Meeting of Missionary Society—Illustrated Lecture Planned.

Mrs. Clarence H. Child has returned from a visit in New York.

The Missionary society met Wednesday with Mrs. George P. Perley.

Edwin Holmes Bugbee of Jamestown, N. J. has been the guest of Clarence H. Child.

Illustrated Lecture.

Rev. R. R. Kendall is planning a stereopticon lecture on Missions next evening at the Congregational church.

The farmers have taken advantage of the cold weather to secure a crop of excellent ice.

CANTERBURY

It has been a long time since there has been so much sickness in town as there has been this winter.

CENTRAL VILLAGE

Rivers Family to Move to Providence—Fire Protection Secured for the Village.

Mrs. James Pope spent Sunday at her home in Canterbury.

Mrs. Julia Bates who died in Norwich the past week was a sister of Mrs. Harriett Pellett of this village.

Miss Evelyn Hearsey attended a dance at Wheaton academy, Norton, Mass., Friday evening.

Joseph Rivers has entered the employ of the Providence Telephone Co. He will move his family to Rhode Island soon.

Mrs. Eugene Rivers of Greenville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colbert Couchane.

Mrs. George Humes was a Jewett City visitor Wednesday.

John Pellett is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Serena Reed was in Jewett City Wednesday.

Secure Fire Protection.

Frank H. Thillingham, R. N. Whitney and Edward Gallager were in Boston Wednesday where they purchased twelve hand extinguishers and a forty gallon chemical engine for the fire department.

At Providence Funeral.

Dr. James I. Gardner, Lester Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Stetson were in Providence Saturday to attend the funeral of a relative, George Stetson.

George Greene of Exeter, R. I. has been visiting relatives here.

L. H. Cross was in Norwich Saturday.

Injured During Game.

Earl Collins is recovering from injuries received at the basketball game at Putnam last Friday evening. His ankle and wrist were injured.

Organist Resigns.

Miss Lucy Broadhead has resigned as organist at the Congregational church.

Mrs. Henry Card has gone to Providence to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Miss Nellie Card.

Warren Hopkings of Providence has been spending several days at Alfred T. Hills.

Dennison Richmond has been in Providence to see his sister, Mrs. Turner Greene, who is ill.

Judge E. M. Warner of Putnam was a Saturday visitor.

Joe E. Hillitt has gone to Stafford Springs for an indefinite stay.

Personal Items.

James Mather spent the week end in Boston and Providence.

Thomas Ryan found one of his horses dead when he went to do his morning chores on Sunday.

Mrs. Dexter Elliott is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Jenks, and daughter, of Providence.

Mrs. Joseph Mills, who has been ill for some time, was taken to the Day Kimball hospital Saturday.

George Dexter has been visiting his sister in Providence.

The senior class of the Tourtelotte High school had a good house Friday evening to witness their drama, The Private Tutor. It was very enjoyable.

The Baptist church has extended a unanimous call to Rev. B. G. Boardman of Waterford.

Concert Pleases Audience—All Day Meeting of Aid Society.

The concert given in Lincoln Hall on Saturday evening was one of the best ever given in this place.

Mrs. Harry Sandland and Miss Marjorie Sandland of North Attleboro were guests of friends here over Sunday.

Rev. J. Rothrock of Boston University supplied the pulpit in the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. L. Kenyon.

Harold Knox is ill.

Miss Anna Dollbaum spent Sunday with her parents in Stonington.

WARRENVILLE

Baker-Karhan Marriage—Gleaners Give Entertainment.

Raymond O. Baker of this village and Marie Karhan of New York were united in marriage Friday evening, Feb. 14th by Rev. B. C. Bugbee, at the parsonage.

The Gleaners gave an entertainment at Baker's hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 18th.

The many friends of George Russ of Mt. Hope are pleased to hear he is on the road to recovery.

Judge O. D. Baker visited the Thread City Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Noel is spending a few days in Willimantic.

Hon. E. H. Gardner is in Hartford with the women in this village are rejoicing that they have been able to harvest a good crop.

CANTERBURY PLAIN

Birthday Surprise Party for Miss Ethel Speerli—Valentine Social.

Miss Ethel Speerli was given a birthday surprise party Monday evening, about 35 persons being present. All had a very pleasant time, singing college songs and playing various games. Cake and coffee were served. Miss Speerli received many useful gifts.

Mrs. Emily Bushnell is sick with the Erp.

As Rev. J. F. Speerli was unable to preach Sunday, Albert Hicks took his place.

EASTFORD

Oyster Dinner for Pickeral Fishermen—Birthday Gift for Welcome Davis.

A fishing party on Saturday at Crystal lake comprised Charles Tatem and his Sunday school class, and Supt. Gilbert Deane and his brood, Harry Tatem, of Willimantic. They caught a string of 17 pickeral, two of them weighing 3-1/2 pounds each. At noon they went to Mr. Tatem's cottage and enjoyed an oyster dinner.

Charles Johnson was a week end guest of his mother.

The lot made vacant by the burning of J. J. Young's house has been purchased by Mr. Sherman of Phoenixville.

Farmers have been very busy the past week harvesting their ice.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Chamberlain spent the afternoon Monday at the home of Thomas Case in Woodstock.

J. M. Tatem, who is spending the winter in Willimantic, was in town Monday.

Seavitt of Spencer, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welcome Davis.

Mrs. Fred Bowen and Miss Hattie Bicknell were in Putnam Thursday.

Gift at Birthday.

A few friends gathered at the home of Welcome Davis after the prayer meeting Wednesday night in honor of his 62d birthday. After enjoying a social time, refreshments were served by Mrs. Marcy and Mrs. Levitt. Mr. Chamberlain in behalf of the friends presented Mr. Davis a sum of money.

Silver in Palm.

Dana Keith in alighting from his team wagon ran a silver across his palm. It was fully three inches long. Dr. Converse removed it and dressed the wound.

John E. Hildridge in connection with his other business, is building a garage which will accommodate four cars.

HAMPTON

Mrs. William Hammond entertained the Ladies Aid society Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Burham entertained Miss Beatrice Pearl Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Burham has been caring for her.

Carl Jewett spent the week end at C. E. Jewett's.

The Glee club concert given by the C. A. C. boys was very much enjoyed.

R. E. Peattie has hired carpenters to do the carp part of his house, recently destroyed by fire.

Mrs. Wallace Jewett, who underwent an operation at her home here last Wednesday is very comfortable.

CLARK'S CORNERS

Mrs. Leon Albro entertained her mother Mrs. Estabrooks of Palfreth, and her aunt Mrs. Frank Hildreth, also Mrs. Adilian Hildreth of East Bangor, New York, Tuesday.

Mrs. Willis Wade has been visiting relatives in New London.

Mrs. P. J. Navin was in Willimantic Thursday.

Dr. William E. Oliver of South Norwalk visited his parents this week.

Charles Oliver of the Connecticut Agricultural College was a week end visitor in town.

WOODSTOCK VALLEY

Herman Fershenhem spent Sunday in New Britain.

Mrs. and Mrs. Froelich are visiting friends in Maywood, N. J.

Herman Froelich is visiting his brother at Mr. Chase's in Waterbury.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stewart Siddle have been visiting friends in Washington, D. C., Philadelphia, and Orange, N. J.

Barry and Edith of the Connecticut Rivers, Mass., spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

The Bradford place, owned by Mr. Guett, has been sold to a purchaser from Illinois.

WILSONVILLE

Mrs. Joseph Baker and daughter Olive spent Thursday with the former's sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Braley of North Grovenordale spent one day the past week with Miss Fanny Jenay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. May of Webster spent Thursday with relatives here.

Tolland County

SOUTH COVENTRY

Honors for Local Student—Horse Breaks Through Ice and is Drowned—Recent Social Affairs.

A Worcester paper states that William J. Wilson, Jr., of this place is one of the 18 students voted by the faculty of Clark university to be candidates for the Phi Kappa Psi honor society.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. May of Webster spent Thursday with relatives here.

Letter from Former President.

Mrs. William F. Wood and Mrs. J. M. Wood entertained the Ladies' Missionary association Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Wood. About 50 were present. A letter was read from former President Mrs. Nesbit Light, written to the association from her new home in Bridgeport.

Supper and Entertainment.

The valentine supper and entertainment given Feb. 14th in the Congregational vestry by the choir under direction of Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, organist, was largely attended and netted \$32.90, which is to be used for the choir. The features of the entertainment were a monologue by Mrs. E. Tracy, Mrs. Tubbs at the Sewing Circle, and a dialogue. The Examining Committee, by nine suffragettes, members of the choir, Miss Dorothy Coleman took the part of the young teacher, the members of the examining committee being Misses Nannon, Beattie and Mildred. Homage, Misses Helen and Hattie Brown, Mrs. Clark, Nellie Albertin and Hannah Potter. Other numbers on the programme were selections by the choir, song and dialogue by Master Irvine Harmon and Miss Wilhelmina Cour. Piano solos by Lawrence Sherman, Curtis Dean made brief remarks on behalf of the choir.

Ill at Hospital.

The three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wolfe is ill with bronchial pneumonia at a private hospital in Willimantic.

Mrs. Perkins of Wauregan is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. N. Wood, at Pine Knoll.

Miss Hattie M. Albro is visiting her brother in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Kingsbury are spending a few weeks in Panama.

Beke Through Ice.

One of H. D. Woodworth's horses was drowned in Lake Wangumbaug Monday while ice harvesters were at work. J. Young was driving the horse, with one of his own, when the ice gave way under the team. Young saved himself by jumping and was able to save his horse, but Woodworth's horse was dead before it could be gotten out. The ice was eight inches thick.

Miss Sara White of the Massachusetts Homeopathic hospital, Boston, spent the week end at her home.

Washington Supper.

A Washington supper held in the vestry of the Methodist church Friday evening was well attended.

Unable to Leave Hospital.

Mrs. H. A. Keach, who has been ill

BOLTON

Lunch Counter at Ladies' Club Entertainment—'Grange Enjoys Special Programmes.

The Ladies' club gave an entertainment at Bolton Center Tuesday evening for the benefit of the hall fund. The programme consisted of readings by Miss Clara B. M. Douglass of Forestville and organ solos by Theodore S. Perry; both were much enjoyed. At the close of the programme a lunch counter attracted the attention of all. Sandwiches, cake, pie, doughnuts and home-made candy could be purchased. Thirteen dollars was cleared. Mrs. C. W. Burt had charge of the entertainment.

Special Programmes.

The grange programme last week was appropriate to its valentine night. The programme this week is in charge of Mrs. J. W. Phelps and Mrs. H. W. Howell, who furnished an interesting one suitable to Washington's and Lincoln's days.

Miss Alice Eaton spent last Sunday in Wapping with Miss Amy E. Collins.

Miss Adella N. Dooms attended the Pomona grange meeting in East Hartford Wednesday. The afternoon was devoted to installing officers.

Alec White of Hebron was a recent Bolton visitor.

Misses Mary and Kate Sheridan are home from Newton Center, Mass., where they have spent several months.

GURLEYVILLE

Season's Ice Crop Harvested—Valentine Day Observed by Pupils.

Most of the ice houses in this vicinity have been filled with eight inch ice during the recent cold wave.

Pupils Make Valentines.

The pupils in the local school observed St. Valentine's day by exchanging valentines. Most of them were made by the children, under the supervision of the teacher, Miss Frances Williams.

Eddie Bates from Willimantic was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Conant over Sunday.

Miss Lila Simonds and Miss Martha Langley from Willimantic were at their respective homes over Sunday.

Miss Marguerite Dunham was a guest of friends in Ware Friday.

Miss C. N. Turner has returned from several weeks' visit with relatives in South Orange, New York, Waterbury and North Windham.

Service Well Attended.

There was a good attendance at the preaching service Sunday morning. Misses Arlene and Marguerite Dunham sang a duet, I Belong to the King. Mr. Coburn from North Windham attended church here last Sunday.

HEBRON

Good Attendance at Auxiliary Whist—Briefs and Personals.

Miss McNeiray has returned to her school in this place after being away seven weeks.

Mrs. Sadie Horton is making a week's visit at her former home in Unionville.

Miss Etta Bissell is in East Hampton at her son's, Frank Bissell's.

Mrs. Mary F. Frink was in East Hampton over Sunday at her daughter's, H. E. Tennant's.

Miss Florence Smith returned to Willimantic Sunday evening.

C. J. Strand spent Sunday with friends in New Britain.

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The Bradford place, owned by Mr. Guett, has been sold to a purchaser from Illinois.

Auxiliary's Whist.

The auxiliary whist was held at Everett Lord's last Monday evening. There was a good attendance considering the weather.

Mrs. Terry of Gilead and Mrs. N. E. Raymond were visitors in Hartford and East Hartford Wednesday.

STAFFORDVILLE

Three-Pound Pickeral Taken from the Reservoir—Easter Committees of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. G. H. Snow and children are guests of Mrs. Snow's sister in Oxford, Mass.

Mrs. Charles White has been entertaining her nieces, the Misses Gregory, of Willimantic.

Mrs. Grant Hanna and niece, Miss Arlene Hanna, were guests last week of Mrs. Arthur Duncan in Worcester, Mass.

Earl Bowden caught a pickeral and two ounces last Saturday.

H. M. Hallman of Boston visited Mr. and Mrs. John Rishton last week.

Easter Committees.

The following committees of the M. E. church have been elected for the Easter programme: Mrs. Minnie E. Smith, Mrs. Bertha Belcher, music; Mrs. Grace Smith and Rev. W. D. Hamilton, speaking; Knights of Metholam and Mr. Hamilton, singing; Mrs. Hamilton, reading; Mrs. Hamilton, singing; Mrs. Hamilton, singing.

The service will be held at the church hour of morning worship. The Sunday school session will be omitted.

ANDOVER

Grangers Attend Pomona Meeting—Recent Guests in Local Homes.

Mrs. Justin Holt of Chaplin was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Randall L. Jones, from Tuesday to Thursday. They passed the day together in Hartford on Wednesday, shopping. A large delegation attended the Pomona grange in East Hartford Wednesday.

Mrs. Willard E. Fuller spent Thursday in Hartford.

Miss Davoll of Mansfield Center is a guest for nine days of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Willard E. Fuller.

Harold Johnson sang at a recital in Hartford Friday evening.

Mrs. Ralph W. Bass is entertaining

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Miss Hawkins of New Haven, Miss Turner of New York and Mrs. Turner, who has recently returned from a trip to South America and is about to take up her residence in Atlanta, Ga.

At the Congregational church, the pastor, Rev. John J. Lockett, will preach at 10:45 a. m. At the C. E. service at 7 p. m. Miss Edith Lockett will lead, the topic being, Medical Missions.

STAFFORD

Herbert Phillips is employed in Springfield.

Miss Louise Richmond of Philadelphia has been the guest of Mrs. E. R. Perry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lord were in Hartford. Mr. Lord gave a short address on poultry before the Connecticut Poultry association.

Miss Lucy Matthews of Hartford, formerly of Stafford, while alighting from a street car, fell and broke her wrist.

A good congregation was present at the Baptist church last Friday night to listen to a fine sermon by Rev. K. G. Clapp.

COLUMBIA

Icehouses Well Filled—Accident to Curtis A. Holmes.

J. P. Little attended the first annual