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# The Bulletin.

Norwich, Monday, Nov. 24, 1913.


## VARIOUS MATTERS

It was 64 degrees in the shade at noon Sunday.

The latest bulletin at the Norwich state hospital for the insane shows 955 patients.

District Superintendent Rev. G. G. Scrivener of Norwich preached in the Moodus Methodist church Sunday morning.

Governor Baldwin's Thanksgiving proclamation has been posted in the Otis library.

Modern entrances are being built to the apartments in the Cassidy block on Church street.

Rev. B. F. Capshaw of Franklin preached at the Congregational church at Oakville Sunday.

Schooners William E. Litchfield and Dean E. Brown are unloading cargoes of yellow pine from the south at the Thames River Lumber Co.'s dock.

Neosha whist tonight in Foresters' hall.—adv.

George S. Palmer, formerly of this city, has just been reelected president of the New London Municipal Art society at its November meeting.

Miss Sadie Dawson was in charge of the reading room at the Otis library Sunday afternoon. The visitors between the hours of 2 and 6 numbered 77.

The children's sermon at the Second Congregational church Sunday was one of the new series, An Alphabet of Bible Folk, being given by Rev. H. J. Wyckoff.

The South Worcester electric interlocking signal and switch tower on the Norwich and Worcester railroad was put into commission Sunday morning.

The D. A. R. memorial fountain on the Little Plain has been covered for the winter, having withstood the onslaughts of the small boy through another busy season.

Kenneth Wynne of New Haven, clerk of the last senate, has been selected by Governor Simeon E. Baldwin as his executive secretary as successor to Judge Edwin S. Thomas.

Hundreds were in town Saturday for the special sales, and trade in most departments was very satisfactory, although cooler weather would have pleased the merchants better.

A Hartford company has closed a contract for the construction of several stone jetties at Mason's Island for the Mason's Island Co. The work will be done before extreme cold weather.

The papers mention the thorough sight tests given pupils in the Plainville schools, where O. L. Judd, formerly of Norwich, is principal. Out of 445 children examined, 23 have defective sight.

A New York Sunday paper mentioned among prominent Baptists on the way to attend the centenary of Adoniram Judson at Rangoon, India, Dec. 10-12, Col. and Mrs. Charles W. Gale of Norwich.

The visitation committee of the Connecticut Prison association will meet today (Monday) at the state prison at Wethersfield for the purpose of examining 11 prisoners whose terms will expire next month.

At the ordination of Commodore Robert Watkins at the Congregational church in Durham Thursday evening an excellent sermon was delivered by Rev. Benjamin W. Bacon, D. D., of Yale, formerly of Norwich.

Word comes from Boston to local art students that Mrs. John L. Gardner will open Fenway Court to the public every afternoon this week excepting Thanksgiving. To avoid overcrowding the attendance will be limited to 200 visitors daily.

A public meeting in the interest of education will be held in the town hall, Ellington, Tuesday evening. The speakers will be Prof. P. M. Howe, principal of the Rockville High school, and Supt. A. N. Potter and Mr. Day of Willimantic.

Local architects have been notified that the 47th annual convention of the American Institute of Architects will be held Dec. 3, 4 and 5 at New Orleans. Louis A. Walsh of Waterbury is chairman of the Connecticut chapter of the institute.

Judge Edwin S. Thomas, a summer resident of Eastford, announced Saturday that he would hold his first session of the United States court and hear his first case Dec. 2 at Hartford. He also announced that his official address will be New Haven.

The treasury department has issued instructions to international revenue collectors under which corporations and joint stock companies may pay the income tax on their earnings for their fiscal year period instead of for the calendar year, as the law provides.

A Hartford paper states that Miss Bessie Marion Coats, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Coats, sailed Saturday on Steamer Amerika to spend the winter in France and Germany. Miss Coats has been pursuing post-graduate studies in Radcliffe college the past two years.

Mrs. Charles F. Spaulding of New London, widow of a former superintendent of the New London Northern railroad, and her mother, Mrs. Caroline Tribble, are critically ill in Philadelphia at the home of Mrs. Spaulding's niece, Mrs. Stella Foljam, where thye were visiting when stricken.

### WEDDING.

**Moriarty—McGibney.**

Miss Anna J. McGibney of this city and Maurice J. Moriarty of Worcester, Mass., were united in marriage at 7 o'clock Saturday morning in St. Patrick's church by the rector, Rev. J. H. Broderick. The bride was becomingly attired in a suit of blue Irish poplin with hat to match. Miss Annie O'Connell acted as bridesmaid and she wore a suit of taupe Irish poplin. The best man was Robert Evans of Worcester, an intimate friend of the groom.

After a wedding breakfast and reception to immediate relatives at the home of the bride, No. 33 Union street, Mr. and Mrs. Moriarty left amidst a shower of rice and confetti for a honeymoon trip to New York and Boston. On their return they will reside in a nicely furnished home in Dorchester, Mass., where the groom is engaged as instructor in electricity at the high school.

There were many handsome and useful gifts to the bride, including money, silverware, cut glass and a bountiful supply of fine linen from the employes of the Boston store where the bride was formerly employed. Both bride and groom are well known in Norwich and have the best wishes of many friends for a happy future.

**Returns to Falls Co.**

Fred Bentley of Lafayette street, who accepted a position with the Shetucket mill Wednesday has resigned and will resume his old position Monday with the Falls company.

Great Britain in 1907 made and sold five million bricks.

## PERSONAL

Edward W. Palmer of Norwich was at Niantic last week.

Mrs. N. Eugene Smith has returned after a week spent in Windham.

W. S. Hobbs of Hudson, Mass., is the guest of Ernest Rose of Stetson street.

J. H. Branch has returned to Norwich after a visit of a few days in Mystic.

The Misses Irene and Mary Stahler of New London spent Saturday in Norwich.

Mrs. George Deneke of Mystic has been entertaining Miss Ruth Davis of Norwich.

Miss L. Louise Fellows returned Saturday evening from a visit with friends in Boston.

Herman Sears left for New York on Saturday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. William Carr of Poquonnock is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Eccles of Norwich.

Mrs. William H. McChesney of School street was a recent guest of Providence relatives.

Mrs. W. A. Saunders has returned to Essex after a visit at the home of her sister in Norwich.

Mrs. Max Schwartz, Miss Anna Schwartz and Michael Schwartz are in New York to attend the wedding of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Kehr, Miss Lucille Kehr and Miss Muriel Foley of New London attended the football game between Bulkeley and Norwich Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gray and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Gray, and Mrs. Mary E. Gray of New London are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gray of Ledyard for a week.

Miss Claire A. Blacker, now a Hartford music teacher, will go to Colchester Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Sullivan. She will visit her parents at their home in Norwich for the week end, returning to Hartford Monday.

### OBITUARY.

**Mrs. Michael Murray.**

Mary Dolan, widow of Michael Murray, passed away peacefully at her late home, 38 Geer avenue, Sunday afternoon. She had been in poor health for a number of years, but was seriously ill about two weeks.

The deceased had lived in this city forty-three years. She had a most affectionate and generous disposition which won and held for her a large circle of friends who mourn her.

Her interest was centered in her home and family where her loss will be most keenly felt.

She is survived by a brother and one sister, Mrs. John R. Brown of Providence, and three children, Miss Katherine, Bernard J. and Thomas, all of this city.

**Mrs. Fitch A. Carey.**

Saturday evening about 9 o'clock the death of Anna E. Walker, wife of Fitch A. Carey of Central Village, occurred in Brooklyn, N. Y., following an illness of about ten days. Two weeks ago Mrs. Carey left home to visit a cousin in Brooklyn, and while there she contracted pneumonia, which resulted in her death. Mrs. Carey was 70 years of age. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Mrs. Frederick Tillinghast of Central Village. Two brothers, William Walker of California and Albert Walker of Central Village also survive her. The body will be brought to Central Village for burial.

**Miss Margaret M. McCall.**

News of the sudden death of Miss Margaret M. McCall in Pittsburg on Friday was received here by a telegram to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McCall, of No. 16 Laurel Hill avenue, on Friday. Her death occurred from heart trouble, from which she had suffered previously, but her family here had not known of any recent illness on that account.

Miss McCall was just past her 33d birthday, which occurred on the 17th of November, and she was born in this city and had always made her home here until her career as a professional violinist took her to other cities.

She had unusual talents as a musician, showing her musical trend when only a child of eight, and it was always her ambition to be a violinist. In this desire she was encouraged and aided by her parents, who had her study under a prominent New York teacher, and she later took lessons for a period from Professor Wallner here. Upon entering the professional field she achieved success at once and filled orchestral engagements in Boston, Baltimore, Texas and other places. For five months past she had been at Pittsburg, where she directed orchestras in two theatres, besides doing much outside work upon special occasions. She had been working unusually hard all summer and during the fall, and it is supposed here that this may have had something to do with the coming of the fatal attack of heart weakness at this time.

Miss McCall is survived by her parents, by a brother, James J. McCall, and a sister, Miss Jennie V. McCall. She was of a bright, cheerful and affectionate disposition and filled a warm place in the home from which she will be sadly missed.

The body is expected to reach here from Pittsburg today.

**School Children Flock to Savings Bank**

The lobby at the Norwich Savings society was crowded to its capacity on Saturday afternoon at the special hours provided for the school children's department depositors in the Thames Loan & Trust company to accept the generous offer of gentlemen connected with the Norwich Savings society to give them books or the money for their other deposits. About 350 individual accounts have so far been taken care of.

**Chimney Fire on Fountain Street.**

Saturday about noon the autochemical was called out for a chimney fire at the home of A. A. Brock, No. 29 Fountain street, which is a house owned by Daniel Clark.

Two tanks of chemical were used in the kitchen chimney by reaching the roof with an extension ladder.

Two hundred feet of 2 1-2 inch hose was also laid in as a precaution, but no water was needed.

**Sang at the First Baptist Church.**

At the First Baptist church Sunday the congregation had the pleasure of hearing W. C. Hobbs of Hudson, Mass., who assisted the choir both morning and evening. At the evening service Mr. Hobbs rendered a tenor solo which was very pleasing to all.


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# DISMANTLE RELIANCE WORSTED MILL

## Owners Decide They Must Give Up Manufacturing Here—Shetucket River Water Too Dirty to Use Any Longer and City Water Costs Too Much—Plant Has Employed 250 Hands With Weekly Payroll of $3,500.

Because the water from the Shetucket river has become too dirty with dyes, oils and tar to be used in their woollen mill and city water as a substitute would cost too much, the owners of the Reliance worsted mill on North Main stret have decided to dismantle the mill, sell off the machinery and go out of business, said Philip Henault, secretary and traesurer of the company, on Sunday evening, and some of the machinery has already been sold and shipped to Mystic and to Medford, Mass.

**Has Disposed of Manufactured Stock.**

That this decision was likely to be reached had been known for some time, Mr. Heneault said, but has not been generally known to the trade, since knowledge of the fact that the company was going out of business would have interfered with disposing of the goods they had in hand to advantage. This has now been done, so that the manufactured stock is pretty well cleaned out, and for the past two weeks the mill, which has been located in the old car shops on North Main street, has been shut down.

**Over $20,000 Annual Loss from Bad Water.**

Customers for the machinery will now be sought, or the plant will be sold as a whole if opportunity offers, said Mr. Heneault, and the machinery will be dismanteled. Mr. Heneault, who is secretary and treasurre of the company, which is capitalized at $94,000, said that it meant $75,000 loss to go out of business, but that it was impossible to manufacture any longer with the water from the Shetucket river, which has been getting worse and worse, and was especially bad in the last two or three years when the water was low. In that time the company had continued manufacturing their woolen goods and taking their loss on damaged goods, which amounted to from $20,000 to $25,000 per year, but they could do it no longer.

**Tar from Gas Works is Worst.**

When the river is high the pollution from the mills upstream did not make so much difference, but with low water so much cloth was ruined that the mill couldn't run. The dyes and oils discharged into the river from the mills upstream pollute the water to a considerable extent, but what particularly affects the woolen mill is the discharge of tar from the city gas works on the river just above the Reliance woolen mill. He considered that it was the tar that worked thme the most damage, and they found it impossible to use the water impregnated by tar as it was. A six inch main and a four inch main from the river have furnished the water supply for the mill.

**Water Would Cost $10,000 Possobly.**

What to do about the water supply for the mill had been under consideration for a number of months, he said, and at that time the officers of the company had looked into the matter of using city water, but found it would cost too much at the regular rates charged to manufacturing concerns here. He figured it would cost the company $10,000 for the city water at the regular rates, and he thought it peculiar that the city could not make a special low rate to manufacturing concerns—not his company alone, but to all—as done in Philadelphia, where he had been last week investigating what that city did for manufacturing concerns that wanted water.

**Would Pay $1,000.**

The company would be willing to pay $1,000 for the city water they would need, he said.

He thought a four inch pipe from the city main, under pressure, would supply all the water the mill would want.

One suggestion that had been made, Mr. Heneault said, was that of building a reservoir on land on the East Side that the company owns. This is to be filled with city water when there was any surplus from the reservoir. But this, he said, was an expensive undertaking, and taken with the uncertainty of how much water they would get, was not looked upon with favor by the company.

**Board of Trade Tried to Help.**

Some time ago the board of trade learned that the Reliance Worsted company had a water problem confronting it, and President J. C. Macpherson appeared before the water board and the mayor to see what might be done about a rate for the company that would go towards keeping this valuable plant operating here.

Presidesnt Macpherson said Sunday night that the answer of the water board had been that it could not consider a flat rate for the Reliance people which did not apply to all manufacturers and they could not make a flat rate for all which would be at the figure which would suit the Reliance mill. He said he had also appeared before the board upon the matter of the reservoir suggested on the East Side property of the company, and that the board of trade had been trying in a quiet way to do all it could to help keep the company here, but it seemed to be an unfortunate situation for which there seemed to be no help.

**Came Here Ten Years Ago.**

For the last ten years the Reliance Worsted company has been a valued industry of this city, moving here from Woonsocket and taking a ten year lease from the New Haven road of the buildings known as the old car shops. This lease expired last April and has not been renewed. Mr. Heneault says the railroad company is willing to do almost anything to get them to stay.

When the Reliance company, in which Mr. Heneault as secretary and treasurer, and John Campbell as vice president, are the controlling stockholders, came here, it was through the efforts of John A. Moran, who worked to get the citizens of Norwich interested to induce the company to locate here and a city meeting voted the sum of $3,000 to be paid the company to make up the $10,000 which it asked for installing machinery and making needed repairs. The railroad company was willing to give the woolen company $7,000, but would not give $10,000, so that the city made up the $3,000 needed.

In general the mill has run on full time all the year round, and in connection with its business the small mill on the east side of Main street has been run as an auxiliary plant, the auxiliary having been organized under the name of the Preston Woolen company by Mr. Heneault and Mr. Campbell without the other stockholders of the Reliance.

When both plants were running full, they employed from 225 to 250 hands, with a weekly payroll of $3,500 and their annual output in woolens and worsteds averaged $450,000.

The mill on North Main street had 62 broad looms and 8 sets of cards and the East Side mill about 30 looms and 8 sets of cards.

### HER 101ST BIRTHDAY ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

**Mrs. Betsy Slocum of Pawcatuck Village Was Born Nov. 27, 1812.**

Thanksgiving day will be observed in the Slocum home in Pawcatuck Village as the 101st birthday of Mrs. Betsy Slocum, who was born here on Nov. 27, 1812. Mrs. Slocum is in good health and in possession of all her faculties. With one exception she is believed to be the oldest woman in eastern Connecticut. Miss Diana Sweet of Plainfield will be 102 in December.

### TO ENCOURAGE THRIFT.

**Hartford Praise for the Action of Men Associated with Norwich Savings Society.**

Said the Hartford Times etdiorially Friday:

There may have been evidence of a more practical way to instill the commendable habit of thrift than that adopted by benevolent citizens of Norwich, but we do not recall it at present. It appears that something like 800 school children of that city were depositors in the so-called "School Savings System" of the Thames Loan and Trust company which is in a receiver's hands. A recent issue of the Norwich Bulletin contained an article that will appeal with force to those who believe in the helping hand intelligently extended. The Bulletin quotes the Century dictionary's definition of what constitutes a savings bank and then referring to the loss which the 800 little people may experience, declares that this experience will tend to the discouragement rather than the encouragement of the practice of saving money. It is then pointed out that "hoping to modify this feeling," gentlemen associated with the Norwich Savings society have arranged to enable that society, without cost, to make an offer that will restore the children's money.

The offer provides that if the little folks will present their account card, or receiver's certificate, at the bank any Saturday up to and including November 29, they will receive either the full amount to their credit in cash, or if they prefer and the deposit is $1 and more a deposit book of the Norwich Savings society for the amount.

This may be clever advertising but it hardly appears that the accounts of 800 school children would be of sufficient moment to attract the attention of business men. Rather does it appear a very practical way of demonstrating to Young America that saving money pays and that all gentlemen prominent in business are not without a thought of the other fellow.

### FUNERAL.

**Edward F. Sinclair.**

Timothy Sullivan was in New Haven on Sunday attending the funeral of Edward F. Sinclair, a cousin by marriage, which was held from St. Peter's church at 2 o'clock.

There was a very large attendance, with a delegation of about 40 railroad men, Mr. Sinclair having been a New Haven road conductor. Many years ago he used to run through here on freights. He died suddenly on Wednesday. He was born in Worcester and entered the employ of the New Haven road in the early 80's.

He married Miss Jule O'Brien of Hartford about 20 years ago and she and one son, Edward R. Sinclair, Jr., survive him, also one brother, James Sinclair, of Bridgeport. Mr. Sinclair will long be missed on the road and among his numerous friends, but in the home circle the loss will be greater and fondest memories will linger of this kind husband loving father and good friend.

### SCOTLAND COUPLE CELEBRATE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

**Mr. and Mrs. James B. Ashcraft Married Twenty-five Years.**

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Ashcraft celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Scotland, this state, Thursday night. There were over 100 guests in attendance and Mr. and Mrs. Ashcraft were the recipients of many presents. The evening was pleasantly passed with a literary and musical program, a feature of which was the recitation of the poem, Maud Muller, by Rev. Mr. Moore. Music for dancing was furnished by the grange orchestra. A bountiful supper was served.

Among the guests were Mrs. George Baier and son Charles, of New London. Other guests were Mrs. Walter C. Robinson and daughters, Miss Pearl and Miss Edna Robinson of Taftville, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Sheifer and son of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Bailey of Yantic, Fred Clinton of South Windham, and the following from Willimantic: Howard Atkins, Trevor Buckingham, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anthony and daughter, Alma, Miss Bertha Anthony, Miss Kuella Palmer, Arthur Swanson and Walter House.

### SILVER WEDDING.

**Observed by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Williams of Poquetanuck.**

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Williams celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage at their home in Poquetanuck Friday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent, a musical programme being a feature of the occasion. The decorations were chrysanthemums and carnations. Mrs. N. E. Bailey of New London, a sister of Mrs. Williams, assisted in receiving. Many friends from out of town were present and an excellent supper was served. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Hooker, Mrs. Charles L. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Baer, Mrs. George W. Furness, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bogue, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart, Mr. and Mrs. William McKelvey, Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Harkness, Mr. and Mrs. George Bogue, Lawrence Bogue, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sauer, Willard E. Lucas, Misses Flora and Fannie Peck, Mrs. Mary H. Button, Mrs. Sadie McClure, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Busch and Miss Grace Busch from Norwich, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. George Mansfield, Mr and Mrs. C. P. Busch, Mrs. R. S. and Miss Grace Willett, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billson, Norwich Town; Mrs. Herbert Warner, Mrs. N. E. Bailey and son, Miss Jennie R. Jones, of New London; Miss Gladys Hart, Alfred Patterson, Raymond Bogue, Miss Elizabeth Gallup, Clarence Gallup, Harold J. Williams, Misses Edna and Harriet Williams.

There were many handsome presents received in silver and cut glass, including a silver tea set from St. James guild.

Bandings, edgings, and striking motifs made on a foundation of black net, with designs wrought out in beads silks or metallic effects, singly or in combination, are very smart for trimming afternoon and evening gowns.

### MARION MORSE GUILTY ON ONE COUNT.

**Enters Plea Late Saturday Afternoon in Superior Court—Sentence Next Week.**

In the superior court Saturday, after an all-day session, Marion Morse pleaded guilty to one of more than 20 counts relative to the harboring of females in this city for gain through immoral practices. In connection with an agreement reached the accused signed a confession to be used against her in any future case of this nature. She was ordered to appear in court Monday, Dec. 1, to have sentence pronounced. From remarks of those connected with the case it was the general opinion in the court that the sentence would be a year in jail. About 5 o'clock in the afternoon the accused was taken back to the Backus hospital in the ambulance.

The accused was brought to the court in the auto-ambulance from the Backus hospital and placed in an invalid chair in the court room. Attorney Comstock asked Judge Greene to hear testimony regarding the woman's condition and Judge Greene allowed the introduction of such testimony.

Dr. J. J. Donohue testified that he had taken part in a consultation with Drs. Gildersleve, Blance and Agnew regarding the condition of the accused after the two operations which she has undergone and that she could not stand and that it would be detrimental to her condition to stand trial within a month. At present a trial would have a depressing effect upon her, he said, and would retard recovery.

Dr. W. K. Tingley testified that he had examined the accused Friday and that her recovery from the two operations was slow. In reply to questions by Prosecuting Attorney Hull, Dr. Tingley said that the woman was all right and that the power of getting up rests with her. He admitted she might feel badly without it showing and said there was no reason to doubt her statement that she had pains in her head and body.

Dr. Clark Blance, interne at the Backus hospital, testified that he had attended the accused since Nov. 1 and that she has recovered from both operations, one for hemorrhoids and the other for ingrowing toenails. He said that she could sit or stand for an hour and could stand the trial with occasional recesses.

Dr. C. C. Gildersleeve stated that the wounds had healed and that he believed that the accused could stand trial as well now as she could before she was sick. He did not consider her condition as normal, although she could stand a trial.

Dr. R. W. Kimball was called to the stand by Prosecuting Attorney Hull and he stated that he had kept in touch with the condition of Marion Morse from her first operation and that she was able to stand trial.

Judge Greene said that it appeared as though the accused had tried to avoid trial as long as possible and that the case should be tried. Judge Comstock contended that th eaccused could not be presented on 18 of the counts, as they had been settled in court. There was a recess and after a consultation the accused agreed to plead guilty to one count.

Receiver Charles F. Thayer addressed the court regarding the matter of Bank Commissioners Holt and Lippitt vs. the Thames Loan and Trust company before the Morse case was taken up. Judge Greene signed the papers in the case reserving for the supreme court the question of the transfer of money from one department of the bank to another for the liquidation of accounts. Papers containing 20 questions for the decision of the higher court were also signed by Judge Greene.

Alfred Gaskin, a young man who escaped from the Norwich state hospital some time ago and later was apprehended following his theft of a boat at Pleasure Beach from Harry Leeds, was taken from the New London jail Saturday forenoon on a bench warrant to the superior court and upon the order of Judge Greene was recommitted to the hospital.

Gaskin was first apprehended in New London following the theft of clothing from Frank Kimball, clerk at the Croker house. At that time he gave the name of "Dr. Eva Tanguay." He was committed to the state hospital and later escaped, only to continue thieving at Pleasure Beach.

### GREENEVILLE PASTOR SPEAKER AT Y. M. C. A.

**Rev. A. L. Tedford Addresses Men's Meeting Upon "A Determined Purpose."**

Rev. A. L. Tedford, pastor of the Federated church, Greeneville, was the speaker at the Y. M. C. A. service Sunday at 3.30 p. m. He took as his subject "A Determined Purpose." The speaker discussed in a very impressive way the great purpose of Jesus as he "steadfastly set his face toward Jerusalem," notwithstanding the fact that the cross and all of its bitterness awaited: hed id not waver when the devil tempted him. He saw the path of his purpose and gladly walked in it. He consecrated his best manhood to the one great purpose of redeeming the world. Daniel had a definite purpose and without regard to what thec cost might be he did not waver from the path of his purpose.

I hope, said the speaker, that every one of you men have a real purpose in life and that you have consecrated that purpose to the Lord. If you cannot thus consecrate it, you had better change your purpose.

The Swahn orchestra made the service attractive by beautiful selections, well rendered.

Prof. Hervey Wood of New York offered prayer during the service.

Secretary Hill had charge of the meeting.

### LADY VISITORS MEET.

**Backus Hospital Committee Plans for Christmas — Members Hear Timely Addresses.**

At the annual meeting of the ladies' visiting committee from the different churches held Thursday afternoon at the nurses' home at the Backus hospital the president, Mrs. Charles L. Hubbard, presided. As is customary, plans were made for Christmas at the hospital.

Miss Jane Bill was chosen chairman of the committee on presents, the other members of this committee being Mrs. John D. Hall and Mrs. Oliver L. Johnson. The Christmas music is always left to that church the members of which chance to be in charge at Yuletide; this year it is Park church and Choir Director Eben Learned has volunteered to provide this portion of the entertainment. Mrs. Eben Learned is chairman of the committee on decorations.

At the business session Mrs. Elizabeth B. Davis resigned as secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Howard L. Stanton was elected to succeed her.

A most interesting address was given by Dr. Esther S. B. Woodward, for two years in charge of a department at the Norwich state hospital, her topic being eugenics. Dr. Woodward has had most valuable experience in other institutions also, and her address proved exceedingly practical.

She was followed by Miss Beakley, from the Carnegie institute, Cold Spring, L. I., who has been at the Norwich state hospital for some time, sent out by the institute to do field work in the line of studying heredity in the case of insane patients. With the aid and co-operation of Dr. H. M. Pollock Miss Beakley is pursuing her investigations here, charting the results for the institute and for the Norwich hospital records.

At the conclusion of the addresses afternoon tea was served, Mrs. Frederick T. Sayles, Mrs. Henry A. Tirrell and Mrs. F. Leon Hutchins pouring coffee and chocolate, the nurses assisting in serving.


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**By Rev. Thomas A. Grumbly in Sermon at St. Patrick's Church—Wise to Consider the End.**

The advice of Diogenes, to consider the end whatever the undertaking, was the theme of the sermon by Rev. Thomas A. Grumbly at the high mass in St. Patrick's church Sunday. This was in line with the gospel for the Sunday, Matt. xxiv. 15-35, prefiguring the end of the world and the final judgment.

Men who pretend to believe that death ends all know better, the preacher said. Even the savage tribes found by Livingstone in Africa had the idea of a future life and punishment for evildoing. Realizing how much depends upon saving or losing the soul, it is strange that men devote so much care to the body, yet neglect the more important duty of preserving the soul in a fit state to be returned to its Maker.

The soul is trampled in business, betrayed in friendship, imprisoned in the licentious man, annihilated in the drunkard. The speaker pointed out that common sense and reason should prompt a different treatment of the soul, upon which one's fate for eternity depends.

For the offertory selection Choir Director F. L. Farrell had selected the Bach-Gounod Ave Maria.

### Incidents in Society.

Mrs. Eben Allen has returned to her home on Washington street after a week's visit with her cousin in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs Ozias Dodge and son John, of Washington street left Thursday for Flushing, L. I., to visit Mrs. Dodge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Sprague.

Mrs. Edward B. Sprague of Flushing, Long Island, and friend Mrs. Nally, have been passing a week at Mr. and Mrs. Sprague's summer home on Mediterranean lane.


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