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THE WEATHER.

Conditions.

An extensive belt of low pressure connects a storm area over the St. Lawrence valley and another over Texas.

The temperature has risen throughout the east.

The indications are that the Texas storm will move northeast and be attended by snows and rains in the middle Atlantic states.

The weather will be generally fair in northern New England. The temperature will fall Tuesday in middle Atlantic states and New England.

The winds along the north Atlantic coast will be fresh west; middle Atlantic, moderate south, shifting to north.

Forecast.

Northern New England: Fair and colder Tuesday; Wednesday cloudy.

Southern New England: Cloudy Tuesday, probably rain or snow by night; Wednesday snow.

Eastern New York: Cloudy and colder Tuesday, probably local snows; Wednesday unsettled, probably snow south.

Observations in Norwich.

The following records, reported from Sevin's pharmacy, show the changes in temperature and the barometric changes Monday:

	Ther.	Bar.
7 a. m.	37	30.18
12 m.	38	30.20
6 p. m.	38	30.14

Highest 40, lowest 28.

Comparisons.

Predictions for Monday: Fair and warmer.

Monday's weather: As predicted.

Sun, Moon and Tides.

Day.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	High Water.	Moon Rises.
	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
27	7.14	4.24	1.06	10.34
28	7.14	4.25	1.52	11.40
29	7.14	4.26	2.40	Morn.
30	7.14	4.26	3.32	0.48
31	7.14	4.26	4.26	2.01
1	7.15	4.28	5.18	3.19
2	7.15	4.29	6.14	4.38

Six hours after high water it is low tide, which is followed by flood tide.

GREENEVILLE

Feast of Holy Name at St. Mary's Church Next Sunday—Personals and Notes.

At St. Mary's church next Sunday the Feast of the Holy Name will be observed.

G. G. S. Basketball Team.

The Greeneville grammar school basketball team will start the season at the opening of the school after vacation. They are planning on arranging games with the Riverside grammar school of Jewett City, The Tramps of Baltic and Tigers of Taftville. The boys have put in considerable practice and have a good team.

Personals and Notes.

Miss Francis Grover of Hickory street spent the Christmas week end at niantic.

The trolley tracks at the corner of Eighth street and Central avenue are being repaired.

Thure Rydholm of Rockville, who has been visiting here with his parents over Christmas, has returned.

Paul Ricketts of the General Electric company, who has been spending the Christmas week end here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Ricketts, of Prospect street, has returned.

TAFTVILLE

Holiday Callers and Former Residents Return to Their Homes.

Cornelius Donovan of Lebanon was a caller here Monday.

Charles McSheffrey of Dover, is visiting with relatives here.

John McSheffrey of Laconia, N. H., is the guest of relatives here.

Gavin and erard Desmond of the city were visitors here Monday afternoon.

Frank Lafleur has returned to Ware, Mass., after passing the Christmas week here with his parents.

William Murdock, William Etchell and George Woissard have returned to Williamsville after passing the Christmas week end here with relatives.

SUITS TO RECOVER NOTES

Papers Filed by David Pitcher, Executor of Lebanon Estate.

Papers in two suits brought by David Pitcher, executor of the estate of the late Mary H. Dutton of Lebanon, were filed with the clerk of the superior court Friday. The first is a claim of $3,400 against Clark H. Standish of Lebanon to recover on a note of $3,250 given the late Mary H. Dutton on Jan. 1st, 1914. The second is against G. William Totten of Cold Spring Harbor, claiming $2,300. On April 29, 1908, he gave his note of $2,000 to the deceased.

Dorothy Dewing's Sixth Birthday.

Dorothy A. Dewing, daughter of Mrs. Grace T. Dewing, of No. 23 Ripley avenue, celebrated her sixth birthday on Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at her home. Fourteen little friends were present and the afternoon was pleasantly passed in the playing of games, after which dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Louise and Dorothy Norman, Helen Greenhalgh, Marion and Annie Hoffman, George Hiscox, Annie Ratkovski, Lucile, Geraldine and Madeline Spalding, John Edwards, Lester Edward Crowell, Beatrice Freeman and Bettie Pike.

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BAPTIST IN CONFERENCE HERE

Ministers of Ashford, Stonington and New London Associations Hear Merits of Five-Year Programme — Rev. John R. Brown, Ph. D., of Bridgeport, Speaker at Public Meeting Monday Night at Central Baptist Church—Meetings Continue Today.

How the five year programme of the Northern Baptists will place the denomination in a position to once again take up the propaganda of the Kingdom of God, was the substance of the address delivered by Rev. John R. Brown, Ph. D., of Bridgeport, at the Monday evening session of the Baptist conference being held at the Central Baptist church.

This conference of the Baptist ministers of the Ashford, Stonington and New London associations opened on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and will continue today with morning and afternoon sessions.

Monday Evening Session.

The session Monday evening at 7.45 o'clock was open to the public. After the singing of two hymns, Rev. Joel S. Slocum, D. D., pastor of the church read a few verses of scripture from the third chapter of Ephesians and the choir rendered a selection.

Rev. W. H. Lakin, the new pastor at Montville, offered prayer and then Rev. A. B. Coates, D. D., told of how the five year programme originated and of how the movement has steadily grown since its inception at Los Angeles.

Rev. Dr. Slocum turned the meeting over to Rev. E. R. Hyde, of Middletown, chairman of the five year programme committee, and conducted it from that point.

Baptists An Army of the Lord.

Rev. John R. Brown, Ph. D., of Bridgeport, was introduced by Rev. Mr. Hyde as the speaker of the evening and his topic was The Five Year Programme of the Northern Baptists.

In his opening remarks Rev. Mr. Brown said, We Baptists have let the world know that we are an army of the Lord and not only a denomination. Numbers do not tell the story of potentiality. We are weak in many points where we think ourselves strong, and it is because of this fact that the five year programme is being formed.

He spoke of denominations as growing in three distinct ways, by drift, tendency and propaganda. As one of the reasons why the Baptists have not grown as they might have grown Rev. Mr. Brown said: We have thought that when God wants us to grow he will make us grow. Another reason for our lack of growth is because we have thought that our principles will grow themselves.

Condition of the Denomination.

The speaker said that a new generation has come in the Baptist denomination and that the younger ministers are seeing things more clearly than their predecessors. In some parts of the country we have been at a standstill, as far as our growth is concerned, said Rev. Mr. Brown. We have grown little in Connecticut, slightly in Rhode Island, strongly in Massachusetts, but in other parts of New England we have gone down. We are losing in New York state in spite of the fact that other churches have grown. In 1890 in six cities of more than 100,000 population (northern cities), the Baptists stood first in numbers and influence. In 1890 the Baptists were first in Boston; they are third today. In 1890 they were second in Rochester; they are third today. In 1890 they were first in Kansas City; they are fourth today. This broken propaganda in our cities is a very serious problem that is facing us today. Our five year programme is to get us into the position of taking up once more the propaganda of the Kingdom of God.

Rev. Mr. Brown then spoke of the programmes launched since 1915 by various denominations and of the success they are meeting with, and he also told of the several elements that entered into each of the programmes. Speaking of the Baptists' five year programme Rev. Mr. Brown said it has five points as follows: Evangelism, missions, education, mission and benefit funds and stewardship. He then took up each of the five points in turn and explained their merits.

The Afternoon Session.

The afternoon session, which opened at 2 o'clock, was presided over by Rev. Joel R. Slocum, D. D., with Rev. C. M. Reed of East Lyme as clerk. After the devotional service routine business matters were transacted and the regular conference programme was taken up. An address on Evangelism, Personal and Pastoral, the Key to Success in the Five Year Programme, was delivered by Rev. Edward Holyoke, D. D., of Providence. A discussion followed.

Mrs Frank A. Mitchell was chairman of the committee which provided accommodations for those ministers who remained over night.

Paper Won a Prize.

Miss Ruth E. Bogue of Broad street is visiting Miss Helen Schage of Morristown, N. J. While there she has won a prize for an article written on "Why Christmas Shopping Should Be Completed Before Dec. 20th."

BORN

WAKELY—At the home of Mrs. John McElligott, Dec. 21, 1915, a son, James Kelly Wakely, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wakely, of Central Village, Ct.

MARRIED

RANDALL—SMITH—In Norwich, Dec. 27, 1915, by Rev. F. Johns Bohanan, Howard J. Randall and Miss Jennie C. Smith, both of Norwich.

ANDERSON—CREVOISERAT—In New London, Dec. 25, 1915, by Rev. J. Romeyn Dunforth, Thomas Murray Anderson and Anna Belle Crevoiserat, both of New London.

DIED

KIRBY—In this city, Dec. 26, 1915, William Thomas Kirby, son of Mrs. Mary Caffrey Kirby and the late James Kirby.
Funeral from his late home, No. 10 Summer street, Tuesday morning at 8.15 o'clock. Requiem mass in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Mary's cemetery.
Hartford and New Haven papers please copy.

LOVETT — In this city, Dec. 24, 1915, suddenly, Day F. Lovett, aged 71 years.
Funeral from his late home, East Great Plain, Tuesday morning, Dec. 28, at 11 o'clock. Burial in the family lot in Lovett cemetery.
Funeral private.

BELLERT—In Norwich, Dec. 26, 1915, Victoria A. M., wife of Henry Bellert.
Funeral services will be held at her late home, No. 245 Broad street, Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 2 p. m.

CURRIE—At Quaker Hill, Waterford, Dec. 23, 1915, Caroline M., widow of Daniel Currie, aged 72 years.

KING—In this city, Dec. 27, 1915, David A. King, aged 68 years.
Services at Gager's funeral parlors, No. 70 Franklin street, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 29, at 2 o'clock. Burial in Maplewood cemetery.

DAWSON—Entered into rest, at Norwich Town, Dec. 25, Mary, widow of Thomas B. Dawson.
Funeral services will be held at her late home Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 p. m.

ROBINSON—In New Haven, Conn., on Christmas day, Frank Allyn Robinson, in the 65th year of his age.
Funeral service at Christ Episcopal church in Norwich, Conn., Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 29, at 2 o'clock.

HULL—In Norwich Town, Dec. 26, 1915, Charles A. Hull, aged 74 years.
Funeral from his late home on Canterbury turnpike, Norwich Town, Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 1 o'clock. Burial in Poquetanuck.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

Nearly 900 Attended the Exercises on Monday Afternoon.

The Christmas festival arranged for the children of St. Patrick's parish by the Catholic Woman's club and held on Monday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the chapel hall at the church, was attended by nearly 900. An attractive musical programme arranged for the social was finely carried out as follows:

Hymn, Andeste Fideles, entire assembly; violin solo, John Morley, accompanied by Miss Helen McNamara; chorus, Shine Out O Blessed Star, grades 4 and 5; playlet, Father's Christmas Present, 12 children; duet, Miss Irene Wholey, violin, Miss Mary Bresnahan, piano; vocal selection, Mother McCree, Miss Alice Murphy, accompanied by Miss Mary Bresnahan; recitation, Miss Olive Disco; chorus, Merry Christmas Chimes, entire assembly.

Santa Claus (George Madden, Jr.), then appeared and distributed the gifts, candy and oranges from the three beautifully decorated Christmas trees on the stage. Each child received a gift, a box of Christmas candy, pop corn and an orange in a Santa Claus wrapper.

The Christmas decorations were unusually pretty. A large Christmas bell was suspended above the stage and on either side were evergreen trees. The three trees arranged in a row on the stage were handsomely trimmed with tinsel and Christmas bells and streamers were effectively festooned about the pillars.

The trimmings were provided by the following: Miss Sadie Bowman, Miss Mary O'Neil, Mrs. Ellen Casey, Mrs Sarah Moran, Miss Nellie Mullen, Miss Valerie Shannon, Miss Mazie Maloney, Mrs. J. B. Whittemore, Mrs. A. J. Wholey, Mrs. George W. Mansfield, Mrs. James Canty, Mrs. Charles Tracy, Miss Madeline Twomey, Miss May Ansel.

Mrs. Michael H. Donohue was in geenral charge and was assisted by the following committees:

General committee: Mrs. Sarah Hill, Mrs. John Ansel, Miss Josephine Edwards, Miss Margaret Ritchie, Mrs. R. M. Powers, Mrs. Joseph Callahan, Mrs. E. R. McNamara, Mrs. Royal Holmes, Miss Minnie Fitzgerald, Mrs. James R. Fenton, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. James Sherry, Mrs. D. T. Shea, Miss Isabell Crawford, Mrs. M. V. Murphy, Mrs. James T. Woods, Mrs. Nelson Disco, Mrs. Mary Wholley, Mrs. P. H. Harriman, Miss Irene Wholley, Mrs. F. L. Farrell, Mrs. J. Flemming, Mrs. John Mara, Mrs. William McGarry, Mrs. Frank Sylvia, Mrs. Maurice Kelley, Mrs. John P. Murphy, Mrs. T. F. Burns, Mrs. Charles Lee, Mrs. Alec Disco, Mrs. W. T. Browne, Mrs. John A. Brady, Miss Nellie McCloud, Mrs. Chester Wright, Mrs. Samuel Carr, Mrs. Thomas Dodd, Mrs. D. J. McCormick, Mrs. Philip Spellman, Miss Mary Sullivan, Mrs. Sara McInnis, Mrs. James Danahy, Miss M. St. John, Mrs. William Shields Mrs. James Maloney, Mrs. Joseph Connor, Mrs. William Egan, Mrs. James Gallagher, Mrs. John Counihan, Mrs. J. La Noi, Mrs. J. Ryan, Mrs. D. White, Mrs. H. McInnis, Mrs. J. Kelly, Miss M. Riley, Miss Ella Burdick, Mrs. J. Curry, Mrs. J. Riley, Mrs. J. Casey, Mrs. E. Comerford, Mrs. James Maloney, Mrs. John Reese, Mrs. Morris Buckley, Mrs. William Haggerty, Mrs. Henry Buckley, Miss M. E. Kinney, Mrs. James Sharvin, Mrs. John Riley, Mrs. Dennis Twomey.

Decorating committee: Mrs. A. J. Wholley, Mrs. J. B. Shannon, Mrs. T. C. Murphy, Mrs. George P. Madden, Mrs. M. H. Donohue, and Christopher Barry. Miss Margaret Somers also assisted at the festival.

The Christmas trees were donated by James Mahoney of Preston and the piano used was loaned by the Plaut-Cadden company.

The children at the Rock Nook Home and the County Home were kindly remembered with gifts of candy, pop corn and oranges.

Sister Carola who observed her 25th anniversary as a member of the Sisters of Mercy on Monday, was presented a five pound box of chocolates by her scholars.

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