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Norwich, Friday, Feb. 2, 1917.

THE WEATHER.

Conditions.

The storm which was central over Ohio Wednesday night continued to move rapidly east ward and was centered off the New England coast Thursday night. It was attended by general rains or snows in northern and middle districts east of the Mississippi river. Following this storm the area of remarkable high pressure and severe cold wave overspread virtually all sections from the Rocky Mountains eastward.

The indications are that generally fair weather will prevail in virtually all sections east of the Mississippi river during Friday and Saturday. The cold wave will reach the Atlantic coast Friday. Low temperatures will probably continue for several days in the eastern states.

The winds along the north Atlantic and middle Atlantic coasts will be northwest gales diminishing Saturday.

Forecast.

Northern New England: Clearing and much colder Friday with a cold wave; Saturday fair; continued cold.

Southern New England: Eastern New York: Partly cloudy and much colder Friday, with a cold wave; Saturday fair; continued cold.

Observations in Norwich.

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

	Ther.	Bar.
7 a. m.	37	29.65
12 m.	38	29.58
6 p. m.	36	29.59

Highest 41, lowest 35.

Comparisons.

Predictions for Thursday: Rain or snow, much colder at night.

Thursday's weather: Early morning rain, followed by cloudy.

Sun, Moon and Tides.

Day.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets.	High Water.	Moon Sets.
	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	a. m.
29 ...	7.03	4.59	1.56	Morn.
30 ...	7.03	5.00	2.50	0.59
31 ...	7.02	5.02	3.57	2.08
1 ...	7.01	5.03	4.59	3.06
2 ...	7.00	5.04	5.55	4.01
3 ...	6.59	5.05	6.46	4.48
4 ...	6.57	5.07	7.31	5.28

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

GREENEVILLE

Many at Social and Dance in Pulaski Hall—Candlemas Day in St. Mary's Parish—Notes.

Many were in attendance at the social and dance given in Pulaski hall Thursday evening by Jeremiah Downing and Ernest Fox. A dance program of 18 numbers was enjoyed, followed by a social hour at which time refreshments were served. Waldron's orchestra of Taftville furnished music for dancing and also played at the social time.

Candlemas Day Observances.

Today (Friday) being Candlemas day the candles to be used on the altar of the St. Mary's church and in the homes of the sick during the year will be blessed and distributed before the morning mass. It being the first Friday in the month there will be masses for the benefit of the League of the Sacred Heart both morning and evening. At the evening service there will be a reception of new members into the Junior Holy Name society.

Basketball Practice.

The Mighty Five had a stiff work out Thursday evening in preparation for their game with the Taftville Tigers in Taftville this evening. Capt. Grebe feels confident that his aggregation will come out with the long end of the score. Thursday night's practice consisted of signal work and passing.

Notes.

Napoleon Blanchette of Glasgo was a recent visitor with relatives in town.

TAFTVILLE

Many Signed Petition for Special Town Meeting—Price of Envelopes Goes Up—Death of Mrs. Thomas Naismith—Personals and Notes.

A petition calling a special town meeting has been circulated about town and has found many ready signers. The meeting is called relative to the health board bill which was recently introduced in the legislature by Senator John H. Barnes. The bill calls for the consolidation of the four city and town health offices.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Thomas Naismith.

Taftville lost one of its oldest residents when death claimed Isabella Ross, widow of Thomas Naismith, Wednesday evening at 7.30, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Jervis, of Providence street. Mrs. Naismith had been in poor health for the past five years. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage.

The deceased was a native of Scotland, being born in Blantyre Sept. 27, 1844, the daughter of James and Agnes Ross. She received her early education in the schools in Scotland and her early girlhood was spent in her native land. She was united in marriage in Glasgow with Thomas Naismith, who died several year sago. At the age of 30 she came to this country and took up her residence in Jewett City, a short time after coming to Taftville, where she has since made her home. Mrs. Naismith attended the Taftville Congregational church up to the time of her illness and took much interest in its welfare.

Left to mourn the loss of a loving mother and grandmother are two daughters, Mrs. E. W. Jervis of Taftville and Mrs. H. B. Fenton of Norwich, and one son, Thomas Naismith of Youngstown, O.; also 14 grandchildren.

Mrs. Naismith was of a loving disposition and it is with regret that the many friends which she has made during her life in Taftville learn of her death.

Challenges for Mechanics.

The Cloth-Room Inspectors bowling team comprised of Lambert, J. Murphy, Delaney, McSheffery and M. Murphy hurl a defiant challenge at the Mechanics and say that they will play them for fun or marbles. The Inspectors would like to arrange the game for this Saturday. The Inspectors say that it is time that Brierly showed his sporting blood and defend the reputation he has made with his bowling team. The Red Sox would like to take a fall out of the Mechanics when the Inspectors get through with them.

Going Up!

Announcement of a raise in prices of stamped envelopes has been received at the local postoffice by Postmaster D. C. Murphy. The scale of prices raised ranges from 32 cents to 68 cents per thousand. The increase on No. 5 envelopes, which are most commonly used here, is 36 cents per thousand. Also Postmaster Murphy has been notified of the cancellation of all orders of office request envelopes.

Dugas Has Good Lead in Pool Match

Fred Dugas increased his lead in the pool match between himself and Sullivan of Westerly by 28 balls on Thursday evening. This gives Dugas a lead of 49 with the match half finished. Upon the completion of the match Dugas will play against Joe Buchard in a 00 point game.

Personals and Notes.

John Murphy of Merchants' avenue has accepted a position with R. J. Schartier.

Oliver Portelance of Baltic, formerly of this place, was a visitor with friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Archibald Torrance of Providence street is the guest of Mrs. George Mudderman of Forestville, Ct., for a few days.

The local postoffice was flooded Thursday morning by free seeds sent out to local farmers by the state department of agriculture.

Miss Amie Biracree has returned to work in the People's store after being confined to her home the past week with the grip.

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Fire Threatened Business Section

Flames Broke Out in Main Street Clothing Store Early Thursday Evening—Prompt Work by Fire Department Prevented Serious Loss—Three Firemen Cut by Flying Glass—Circulating Library and Fagan's Smoke Shop Suffer From Water Damage.

A fire of short duration, but which threatened the business section of the city called out the fire department early Thursday evening and prompt work on the part of the department prevented serious loss.

The fire broke out at 8.25 o'clock in the L. and G. Clothing house on Main street and Box 4, was immediately pulled in by Officer Myron O. Morgan. The auto pumper, aerial truck, Main Street auto chemical and West Side company responded. Dense smoke was issuing from the windows and roof of the building and soon filled the street. Two lines of chemical and a line of hose were rushed into the clothing house which silocated on the second floor. For a few minutes it looked like a bad fire but the flames were squelched in short order. The recall was rund in at 8.40 o'clock.

The fire was confined to the clothing store, but the Circulating Library and Fagan's Smoke Shop on the ground floor suffered extensively from water and smoke. Smoke also did some damage in the Pasnik Clothing store in the adjoining building.

Three Firemen Cut By Glass.

Flying glass was responsible for cuts sustained by three firemen, Patrick Caples, driver of Chemical Company No. 3, who happened to be nearby at the time hurried to the burning building and endeavoring to gain an entrance to the second story received an ugly cut on one of his hands, necessitating medical attention. Fireman Dennis Brennan of the Central station was hit by flying glass and sustained a bad cut on his left hand. The glass cut a tendon and also cut through a vein. Several stitches had to be taken to close the cut. Fireman Lloyd Thompson also of the Central station was cut on the hand by flying glass.

How the fire started is so far a mystery. The proprietor of the store was out of town and the clerk was left in charge. According to the story told Chief H. L. Stanton by the clerk everything was all right when he left the place three quarters of an hour before the flames broke out. Four men from Taftville had been in the store shortly before the clerk closed up for the night and had purchased two suits of clothes. The theory was advanced by the clerk that a lighted cigar or cigarette left in the store by the men may be responsible for the blaze.

The building is three stories high and is owned by George Greenberger.

MEN'S CLASS HELD AN INFORMAL SOCIAL

Debate On The Wad Proved a Feature of the Evening.

The Men's class of the First Baptist Bible school held an informal social Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stamm of Ann street.

The class was represented by twenty-five of its members and a good time was the order of the evening, commencing with games, puzzles, tossball, checkers, etc.

A debate was held in the latter part of the evening when there were several brilliant arguments on the question, "Who Was Responsible For the Start of the War."

Debating for England, Walter M. Cowan and Le Rue Bliven, for Germany, George Burlingham and William C. Noyes. The judges, Harry Howard, Robert Otis and D. Lewis Bowning. After a long consultation the judges declared the team captained by George Burlingham the victors.

F. E. Robinson established a reputation as a checker player by defeating all who came within his reach.

As chairman of the social committee William C. Noyes served ice cream and cake.

The social was pronounced a most successful one and will be followed by others during the coming months.

ENTERTAINED GUESTS AT WHITE ELEPHANT WHIST

Unique Afternoon Spent at Home of Mrs. Henry Baily.

Mrs. Harry Higgins of Fairmount street was guest of honor at a party given Wednesday by Mrs. Henry Bailey of South Main street, Colchester.

Mrs. Bailey entertained the Wednesday Bridge club at a "White Elephant" whist, the white elephants appearing in many unique and unexpected ways. White elephants assisted in finding partners and keeping scores in many ways. Three tables of whist were played. After the game the white elephants were marched into the dining room where dainty sandwiches, cake and coffee were served.

In lien of prizes it was discovered that parcels for each guest were brought by the white elephants, which when opened, were found to be pretty gifts, useful and ornamental.

White elephants were given as souvenirs of the afternoon and has established the slogan, "Have you a White Elephant, in your house."

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PROGRAM FOR CHURCH WORKERS' INSTITUTE

Three Days' Session Opens in Central Baptist Church Tonight.

The program for the Church Workers' Institute for parents, Christian Workers, officers and young people of all the Baptist churches of Norwich and vicinity, including Leffingwell, Preston City and Fitchville, to be held in the Central Baptist church, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, under the supervision of Dr. William J. Sly, director of religious education for Rhode Island and Connecticut is as follows:

Friday, Feb. 2—7.15 p. m., enrollment, Director W. J. Sly; 7.30 p. m., The Prophet as Teacher, Rev. George H. Strouse; 7.50 p. m., Group Problems in Teaching—1, Elementary, Mrs. William J. Sly; 2, Young People, Dr. William J. Sly; 3, Adult, Edwin Hill; 8.20 p. m., conference on church officers, Rev. A. B. Coats, D. D.; 8.30 p. m., Our Baptist Heritage in History, Rev. A. W. Burdon.

Saturday, Feb. 3—3 p. m., conference on church efficiency,—Women—Missions, Mrs. Sly; 3.30 p. m., The Priest as Teacher, Rev. George H. Chambers; 3.50 p. m., Qualifications of a S. S. Teacher, Rev. L. O. Gates; 4.10 p. m., Lesson Preparation, Stephen E. Peckham; 4.30 p. m., Lesson Presentation, Mrs. Sly; 4.50 p. m ,Methods, Dr. Sly; 5.10 p. m., The Child's Right to Play, Mrs. George H. Strouse; 6.15 p. m., supper in the Central Baptist church, 20 cents; 7 p. m., The Parent as Teacher, Rev. F. W. Tholen; 7.20 p. m., Essentials in Management, Dr. Sly; 7.40 p. m., Group Problems in Management—1, Elementary, Mrs. Sly; 2, Young People, Dr. Sly; 3, Adult, Edwin Hill; 8.10 p. m., Our Baptist Heritage in Doctrine, Rev. Charles R. McNally, M. A., B. D.

Sunday, Feb. 4—10.30 a. m., sermon, The Secret of Jesus, Dr. Sly; 12 m., Sunday School Session—1, The Four Square Life, Dr. Sly; 2, How to Get It, Mrs. Sly; 3 p. m., Jesus, the Supreme Teacher, Rev. Joel B. Slocum, D. D.; 3.20 p. m., Cradle Roll, Mrs. Shepard B. Palmer; 3.30 p. m., Home Department, Mrs. Chester G. Ambler; 3.40 p. m., Missions, Miss Alice M. Dean; 3.50 p. m., Temperance, Mrs. J. J. Fields; 4 p. m., Finding Teachers, Robert McNeely; 4.10 p. m., Worship, Dr. Sly; 4.30 p. m., Group Problems of Worship—1, Elementary, Mrs. Sly; 2, Young People, James L. Case; 3, Adult, Edwin Hill; 5 p. m., presentation of Note Books; 6.30 p. m., Young People's Session—The Challenge Legion, Mrs. Sly; 7.30 p. m., sermon, Training for Leadership, Dr. Sly; 8.15 p. m., conferring credit certificates, Dr. Sly.

Dr. Sly urges at least twenty people from all the churches of this group take notes for credits. Forty persons took notes at the institute in the Cranston Street church, Providence, R. I., recently.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE PLANS COMING YEAR'S WORK.

Pruning Demonstration to Be Held on Laurel Hill Orchard This Month.

The town advisory committee of Norwich at a meeting in the county league room on Shetucket street Thursday afternoon outlined a programme for the coming year's work. It was voted to take up the matter of a more economical production of milk and in connection with this it was decided to hold clover and silage tests this year as last.

The silage tests will include corn and soy beans. It was also voted to take up the matter of better marketing of dairy products, more economical products of cash crops, such as potatoes, fruit and corn and also to hold a pruning demonstration in the orchard of John Harrington on Laurel Hill on Feb. 14, at 1 p. m.

Under the corn variety test work the best variety of corn to sow in this vicinity will be worked out. With regard to the better marketing of milk it was decided to continue organization work and to take up a campaign to encourage the milk producers to keep diary records.

The committee will make an effort to open up a bureau of information in co-operation with the local vegetable growers' association. It is proposed to have the bureau located in the county league room. Director J. D. McCarthy presided at the meeting. Present also were President C. P. Bushnell of the county league, County Agent F. C. Warner, Assistant County Agent Tillson, A. W. Lillibridge, Clarence Sholes, N. E. Whiting, Dwight Avery, Frank Avery, F. S. Wheeler, Mr. Gallup, A. L. Larkin, Mr. Peck, George G. Grant, Mr. Deshefy and John Harrington.

GRAND PRESIDENT VISITS LOCAL GERMAN LODGES

Was Guest of Honor at Joint Meeting in Germania Lodge.

Grand President F. A. Baier of New London attended a joint meeting of Germania lodge, No. 11, D. D. H. S., and the sister lodge, Immergruen, No. 12., Thursday evening in Germania lodge.

During the evening interesting remarks were made by Grand President Baier on the good of the order. Following the meeting a social was enjoyed.

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Over 800 Have Been Driven for Winchester Woolen Mill.

The Connecticut Engineering Co., have completed the pile driving contract for the new Winchester Woolen mill that is being erected just south of the present factory. The contract called for the driving of 780 piles within a month and the company has driven 808 piles.

The work is progressing on the concrete forms for the first floor as about one-third have been set in place.

AT THE DAVIS THEATRE.

Vaudeville and Moving Pictures.

An entirely new show of Keith vaudeville and Triangle moving pictures greeted the audiences at the Davis theatre on Thursday. The show secured for the last hadf of the week is right up to the scratch. Heading the bill is Whipple, Huston and company, who present their mysterious comedy creation entitled Spooks. Jack Reddy, a clever comedian, has the second place on the programme, and Kerr and Berko, who appear in a clever musical offering have the third place. The Heiress at Coffee Dean's, is the title of the Triangle photo play and is shown in five parts. Bessie Love carries the leading part in her usual faultless style. To complete the show there is a funny comedy cartoon featuring the Katzenjammer Kids, in The Lookout.

TIERNEY CADETS WILL OBSERVE FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Celebration Planned For Sunday Afternoon in Buckingham Memorial.

The Tierney Cadets of this city have completed plans for the observance of their first anniversary which is to be held in Buckingham Memorial on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Tierney Cadets from all sections of New London county will be present as guests

Hope to Save Boy's Sight.

Gordon Clancy, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clancy of Waterford is a patient in the Hartford hospital for an operation on his eyes to save the sight. The boy only a few months ago was taken with trouble with his eyes and the best treatment has not produced recovery. One of his eyes the boy can not see out of at all and the operation was to save the sight of the other eye as the specialist feared that the one remaining good eye would in a short time be affected the same as the other one.

624 Subject to Military Enrollment.

Theodore T. Wilcox has completed the personal tax and military enrollment for the first district of the town of Stonington and reports 624 men between the ages of 18 and 45, including exemptions, subject to poll tax and military enrollment, and 268 between the ages of 45 and 60, subject to poll tax. This makes a total for the borough of 892.

Must Pay Up This Month.

Letters to operators of motor vehicles were sent from the automobile department at the state capitol Wednesday, notifying them that it is time to renew their drivers' licenses. About 73,000 envelopes were addressed to the drivers of motor cars and 3,000 to the owners of motorcycles. These licenses muse be renewed before the last day of February.

Found Dog Dead.

William Weaver of the Lebanon road has missed his valuable Airdale since Christmas time. It was found Thursday by George Kahn, who was in the neighboring woods looking for suitable timber for telephone poles. Mr. Kahn found the dog dead, held fast in a steel trap and from all appearances the dog had been shot in the head.

In the City Court.

One person for failing to pay his tax bill was before the city court on Thursday morning, which was presided over by Deputy Judge H. H. Pettis. Judge Pettis reprimanded two boys for fighting in front of the court house The cases of four persons whose cases were postponed were called up but only one was in court.

Has Its Compensations.

The English government has fixed the price of potatoes at 90 cents to $1 a bushel. And yet some people groan at the thought of living under a monarchy!—Manchester Union.

A Bad Time.

When an old friend buys a cane, grows a Charlie Chaplin and wears a college cap, it's a bad time for cracked lips.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

The Porteous & Mitchell Co.

February Facts

At no other time of the year has a store such an incentive to disregard profits as now.

February is one of the months when profits are a second consideration.

It is "low tide" in Winter trade—a time of delight for the value seeker.

Today our counters illustrate this great truth.

If you are down town any day this week drop in and look around. See if there are not many little things (or big things) which you can buy and save money on your purchase.

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Wool Serges in handsome plaid effects, for separate skirts, 42 and 44 inches wide—at 89c a yard, value $1.00.

At 89c a Yd., value $1.25
Novelty Brocade, 50 inches wide, for suits or skirts, in black and dark green—at 89c a yard, value $1.25.

At 98c a Yd., value $1.50
42 and 44-inch Storm Serge in black and colors—also Novelty Weaves in figured and striped goods—at 98c a yard, value $1.25 and $1.50.

At $1.19 a Yd., value $1.25
42-inch Wool Poplin in navy—42-inch French Serge in black, green navy, garnet and Copenhagen—at $1.19 a yard, value $1.25.

At $1.39 a Yd., value $1.69
54-inch Panama in gray—48-inch Striped Serge in brown and green, blue and green—50-inch Chiffon Broadcloth in green and plum—51-inch French Serge in gray, brown and garnet—all at $1.39 a yard, value $1.50 and $1.69.

At $2.19 a Yd., value $2.50
Velour for Coating, 54 inches wide, in navy, brown, catawba and green—at $2.19 a yard, value $2.50.

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Flowered Foulard Silk, 24 inches wide, in brown, plum, reseda and catawba—at 50c a yard, value 75c.

At 89c a Yd., value $1.00
Wash Taffeta Silk, for waists and dresses, 32 inches wide, in black, white, pink and light blue—at 89c a yard, value $1.00.

At 49c a Yd., value 59c
Yard-wide Brocade Tussah Silk in black, white, pink, Copenhagen, navy and yellow—32-inch Striped Tub Silk for waists, in six colors—at 49c a yard, value 59c.

79c a Yd., value $1.00
Silk and Linen Poplin, 36 inches wide, in white, light blue, flesh, gray, brown, wisteria, Belgian and green—at 79c a yard, value $1.00.

At $1.19 a Yd., value $1.25
Silk and Wool Poplin, 40 inches wide, in black, navy, green, mahogany, yellow, pink and catawba—at $1.19 a yard, value $1.25.

At $1.49 a Yd., value $1.75
Black Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches wide, for waists or dresses—at $1.49 a yard, value $1.75.

At $1.59 a Yd., value $1.75
Black Radium Silk, 40 inches wide and excellent quality—at $1.59 a yard, value $1.75.

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BRIEF STATE NEWS

Bridgeport.—There are 21 cases of smallpox in Bridgeport's isolation hospital.

Suffield.—The mid-year reception at the Suffield school will be given by the Lesbian society Feb. 23, and will be a Colonial ball.

Guilford.—The First Congregational church of Guilford has the distinction of owning the oldest piece of communion silver in the state.

Fairfield.—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gould Jennings of Fairfield gave a dinner party for 80 guests Tuesday evening at their New York home.

Windsor.—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Howard celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage Tuesday evening at their home in Palisado avenue.

Bridgeport.—Unsanitary conditions are said to exist in bunk cars provided as sleeping quarters for laborers employed as freight handlers in this city.

Waterbury.—The Waterbury Clock company has posted the following notice in its rooms: "On Feb. 15 a 10 per cent. bonus will be paid to all employes of this company on the payroll for the eight weeks from Oct. 1 to Nov. 25."

Bethel.—At the special meeting of the town school committee a petition drawn up by the teachers of the grammar schools asking for an increase in salary was presented.

Watertown.—At a recent meeting of the senior class at Taft school it was voted unanimously to dedicate the 1917 Taft annual to Andrew D. McIntosh, master of history at the school.

Shelton.—Under suspension of the rules, the senate Wednesday adopted resolutions naming John B. Dillon judge and George S. Willis deputy judge of the city court of Shelton.

Seek Substitutes for Spruce.

The scarcity of white paper material is causing the most rigid investigation into the use of spruce wood for purposes which some other material might serve. The United States forest products laboratory at Madison, Wis., has lately been experimenting in using cottonwood as a substitute for spruce, poplar and ash for making butter boxes. Cottonwood, when green, gives off an odor, which, it was believed, would be absorbed by the butter. Tests have been made of boxes constructed of thoroughly seasoned cottonwood. Butter packed in them was set away for a week and at the end of that time professional butter graders decided that the butter contained no trace of foreign flavor. The use of cottonwood for food packing will release millions of pounds of wood for paper making each year.—Buffalo News.

DIED.

EDWARDS—In this city, Feb. 1, 1917, Thomas F. Edwards.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

HARPER—In Norwich, Jan. 31, Isabelle S. Harper.
Funeral from the home of her sister, Mrs. James H. Hankins, 122 North Main street, Saturday morning, Feb. 3, at 8.15 o'clock. Requiem mass in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock.

ANDERSON—In Westerly, R. I., Jan. 30, 1917, Margaret P. Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, aged 7 years.

ADAMS—In North Stonington, Jan. 31, 1917, Hattie F. Adams, wife of Charles F. Adams, aged 68 years.

RITTENHOUSE—In Stonington, Jan. 30, 1917, Mrs. James W. Rittenhouse, aged 61 years.

THOMPSON—In Waterford, Jan. 31, 1917, Imogene Dorothy, daughter of Lineus M. and Minnie Thompson, aged 8 months.

ELLIOTT—In New London, Jan. 31, 1917, Anna Simpson Wallace, wife of the late George Elliott of New York city and daughter of the late John and Anne Wallace of Philadelphia.

GALLUP—In Leffingwell, Jan. 30, 1917, William H. Gallup, in the 91st year of his age.
Funeral service at the home of his son, Frederick H. Gallup, East Great Plain, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 3, at 2 o'clock.

NAISMITH—In Taftville, Jan. 31, 1917, Isabella Naismith, widow of Thomas Naismith, aged 72 years, 4 months.
Funeral from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest W. Jervis, No. 35 Providence street, Saturday, Feb. 3, at 2 p. m. Burial private.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to relatives, neighbors and friends for their many kind acts and expressions of sympathy extended in the illness and death of our beloved father, Michael Kilrow; especially do we thank the members of the Catholic Benevolent Legion, White Cross Council, No. 156. The expressions of kindness thus rendered will ever linger in our memories.
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